MANY CHANGES IN CITY COURT

Year Marked by Important and Beneficial Steps

Reorganization of Criminal Divisions Complete

Opening of Night Tribunal Outstanding Feature

Numerous highly important changes, both as to structure and policy, have been brought about in the Municipal Court of Los Angeles during the last year. The outstanding developments as outlined by Presiding Judge Turney include:

A complete reorganization of the criminal divisions of the court; abolition of the "license" or fine system; establishment of a night court; improvements in the civil divisions; a campaign against "fixers" and certain crooked professional bail bondsmen and a handful of shyster attorneys, resulting in an almost-total elimination of the criminal and unethical activities of these men.

NEW SYSTEM INSTALLED

A year ago there was considerable dissatisfaction in many quarters over certain features of the administration of the Municipal Court. Judge Turney's first step, after his election as presiding judge last year, was the establishment of a master calendar system in the criminal divisions. A majority of the criminal divisions were centralized with Division 8, presided over by Judge Hogue, as the key division. The divisions thus grouped under one head comprises all those handling miscellaneous misdemeanors.

Another master calendar court, Division 3, presided over by Judge Ambrose, was set up to co-ordinate the work of the divisions handling preliminary examinations in felony cases.

IMPROVED CONDITIONS

All the cases were set for trial or examination in these two divisions and when ready for trial were assigned by the judges presiding in those key divisions to whatever courts they saw fit. All preliminary matters such as motions for continuances, reductions in bail and the like, and all arraignments and pleas were heard in these two courts. Once disposed of, such matters could not be brought up again. Under the old system, or lack of it, cases were shunted about almost indefinitely from one court to another with a consequent great loss of time. Under this new system there has been a sharp reduction in the time within which cases are brought to trial and disposed of. At present criminal cases are being tried within ten or twelve days from the entering of plea or within a shorter time if desired by the defendants.

SCOPE INCREASED

The Legislature, during the year, increased the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court in civil cases to include those involving up to $1000, instead of the former limit of $1000. Mechanic's-lien cases, formerly handled by Superior Court, were also included in the jurisdiction of the Municipal Court. The two classes of cases are expected to nearly double the volume of civil business handled by the Municipal Court.

The "license" or fining system, so much criticized in former years, consisted of imposing fines in nominal sums on those arrested in connection with professional vice and crime activities. These small fines were considered mere overhead expense by the interests involved. In the last year the policy in the criminal courts has been to impose jail sentences on such offenders.

A night court was established by Judge Turney April 15, last, to afford prompt hearings for men accused of vagrancy and drunkenness that worthy defendants might be liberated promptly and helped to obtain employment or otherwise to rehabilitate themselves. The scope of this court has been gradually broadened. Considerably more than 20,000 cases have been disposed of. In addition to criminal business, the night court has been handling a limited number of small civil cases the last few weeks. These cases are those in which poor persons have sued for small claims.

The Legislature, after the night court had been in operation a short time, passed a bill making it a permanent feature of the Los Angeles court system.

NEW CIVIL DIVISION

In the civil divisions one of the striking improvements has been the establishment of a law and motion division, now presided over by Judge Clifford. This court handles all pretrial motions and civil matters. Previously such motions were distributed among the various civil divisions.

Figures showing the exact amount of civil and criminal business in recent months will not be available for several weeks but it is estimated that more than 325,000 criminal cases and about 60,000 civil cases were handled during the year. The money derived from fines, fees and other sources amounted to $2,000,000.

Police Bureau Will Give Aid to ex-Convicts

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 29. (AP)—A special police bureau to guide former convicts toward law-abiding ways is to be established in Kansas City, it was announced today.

Police, who estimate Kansas City is the home of 3000 ex-convicts due to its proximity to several penitentiaries, plan to aid the former prisoners in a systematic readjustment to normal life.

A frequent report on conduct would be required from men who have finished terms or have been paroled from the Federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kan., or from Kansas or Missouri penal institutions.

TEXAS OIL STORAGE

AUSTIN (Tex.) Dec. 29. (Exclusive)—On December 1, a total of 60,091 barrels of crude oil was in storage in Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas. This was an increase of 817 barrels over the total stored on November 1 and an increase of 106,518 barrels over the storage in the three States on December 1, 1928.

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BONES MOCK OLD IDEAS

Nebraska Home of Earliest Man?

Scientist Convention Shown Possibilities of Entry 5,000,000 Years Ago

Museum Official's Theory Combated Only by Popular Theory

DES MOINES, Dec. 30. (AP)—The possibility that man lived in Western Nebraska 5,000,000 years ago was told before the American Association for the Advancement of Science today.

Bones of extinct animals such as the three-toed horse, fashioned into things that seem to be man tools, were offered to anthropologists by Harold J. Cook, Colorado Museum, Denver, as evidence which, if authentic, he said, would be the oldest traces of man found in the world.

The finds were made in Nebraska, south of Scotts Bluff and Mitchell, where the Platte River has made a valley more than thirty miles wide and 1000 feet deep.

NOT GIVEN AS PROOF

The evidence is not presented as proof, Cook said, "but for the information as pointing to very early days of mankind that had well-developed brains and existed before man and mammoths reached their prime.

"I cannot see the origin of man as a mystery, but he seems to have been here earlier than ever suspected. Ancient tools of bone have been found which duplicate nearly the tool which has been accepted in other parts of the world as that of civilized, though primitive man.

"Cook and parties of the American Museum of Natural History have found in the bones 150 traces of animals, apparently worked into scrapers and polished implements. Sandstone, which does not occur in the region, also was found to have been carried there artificially in sharpening bones.

ANCIENT BONE TOOLS

"It is hard to see," Cook said, "how the bones could have been broken by natural erosion. It will be proved that they were worked by man, they are bone tools of comparatively intelligent people of a long time ago.

"The bones are those of animals of a tropical climate, including a few bones of three-toed horses, and that ranged from very small to the size of deer and antelope now found in African kinds, and to be larger than any existing species.

"Bones are split lengthwise and in many cases possibly made by man; some have holes bored centrally through the entire length; others are polished, evenly designed, or have holes in their sides. They give definite evidences of early workmanship."

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Will Rogers Remarks:

BEVERLY HILLS, Dec. 30. [To the Editor of The Times:] This is our last day of grace. We are obliged to read the usual New Year's prosperity applesauce by our same prominent men who are always rich enough to see a great year coming up. And to show you they don't know any more about it than Clara Bow, last year they had their usual hokum predictions, and in October we lost half as much as it cost to put on the war, and yet not a one of these predicted it. So just for a change let's let every man do his own predicting according to his own conviction and viewpoint. The poor haven't many rights as it is, so let's at least let 'em predict, especially as that's all they are going to get. We know that the new year will look fairly rosy to Mr. Rockefeller, Schwab, Owen D. Young, Charlie Mitchell, Otto Kahn, Amon Carter, Dwight Morrow, Knute Rockne, Andy Mellon, Bishop Cannon and Tex Guinan, but how is it going to look to just plain old Joe Doakes?

Yours,
WILL ROGERS.

PRESIDENT'S WIFE VICTIM OF BAD COLD

Unable to Attend Church Sunday or to Bid Adieu to Ortiz Rubio and Wife

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Mrs. Herbert Hoover has been confined to the White House for two days with a cold.

She did not attend church yesterday, nor did she go to the Mexican Embassy to bid adieu to President-elect Ortiz Rubio and his wife.

Dr. Joel Boone, the White House physician, is treating the ailment.

Argentine Heat Grows Terrific

TUCUMAN (Argentina) Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—The mercury rose to 112 in the shade at noon today, paralyzing activities throughout this region.

The dampness of the air rendered the heat almost insufferable. Several cases of sunstroke have been reported.

THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP

FEATURES. Radio, Page 14, Part II; Women's Page, Clubs and Society, Page 6, Part II; Markets and Financial, Pages 11 to 21, Part II; Sports News, Page 21, Part I; Pictures, Page 18, Part II; Comics, Page 24, Part II.

NEWS IN SPANISH, Page 22, Part I.

SHIPPING NEWS, Page 21, Part I.

NEWS OF SOUTHERN COUNTIES. L. W. Chobe of Glendale, owner of many winning floats, dies; construction of the city's entry in Pasadena Tournament was job. L. W. King tendered special luncheon by Redlands citizens. Ventura Masons dedicate new temple Friday. Half-dozen bank thefts reported from four southern counties. Mrs. Jane Adams, California pioneer, 102 years of age, dies at Pasadena. Page 8, Part II.

SPORTS. Pittsburgh arrives for Rose game New Year's Day; looks good in first drill. Page 11, Part II.

Football coaches veto rule changes. Page 11, Part II.

Changes in management of Olympic Games proposed. Page 11, Part II.

Rowdyism seen sport Utopia. Page 11, Part II.

BELL CITY. Stechel made Chief of Police when Davis accepts demotion to deputy. Page 1, Part II.

Two boys lost in mountains are found safe, but no trace of girl is reported. Page 1, Part I.

Grand jury of 1929 ends labors with City Jail recommendations and praise for county officials. Page 1, Part II.

Entertainment of Roses parade this year will set record; predict 750,000 to see it. Page 1, Part II.

Traffic deaths for December break all past records here. Page 1, Part II.

Roaring against rowdyism in New Year's Eve celebration is sounded by Mayor. Page 1, Part II.

Park Department engineers rush building of check dams in burned-over area of Griffith Park. Page 5, Part II.

Mission Play opens nineteenth season with matinee tomorrow. Page 5, Part II.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Estimate based on school attendance puts city's population as more than 1,400,000. Page 1, Part I.

Riley declares deficit looms for State, in attack on Young policies. Page 1, Part I.

Los Angeles files brief placing Federal decision on union station before State Supreme Court. Page 1, Part I.

Arizona agrees to meet with California and Nevada for further river parley. Page 2, Part I.

California National Guard seventh in numbers among States; Ohio and Texas leading us. Page 8, Part I.

GENERAL EASTERN. Scientists shown bone tools indicating man's existence in Western Nebraska 5,000,000 years ago. Page 1, Part I.

Merger of Stutz with prominent auto concern forecast. Page 2, Part I.

Coast Guardsmen arrested for stealing liquor from seized rum runner. Page 3, Part I.

Scientist tells of new dyes that will make painting of lily reality. Page 6, Part I.

WASHINGTON. Radio university for nation urged by Wilbur's fact-finding subcommittee. Page 2, Part I.

Senator Heflin demands inquiry on Fascist activities in the United States. Page 4, Part I.

China's decree to end extraterritoriality viewed as gesture by Washington observers. Page 6, Part I.

Prohibition row fails to ruffle calm at White House. Page 8, Part I.

FOREIGN. Family papers of Cortes presented to Mexico. Page 2, Part I.

Byrd party basks in summer sunshine. Page 6, Part I.

Loss of whaler's plane and crew saddens Byrd party in coming of first neighbors of season. Page 6, Part I.

Curls and other hirsute what nots coming back, declare French hair dressers. Page 8, Part I.

Serious disorders expected to follow slaying of Chief Tamasese in riots of Samoans against British mandate. Page 8, Part I.

REMEMBER THIS
How you use today determines how tomorrow will use you.

BRIEF FILED ON DEPOT

Union Terminal Order Backed

Federal Decision Formally Placed Before State Supreme Court

Repeated Recognition of Rail Commission's Power Cited

BY FLOYD J. HEALEY
"Times" Staff Correspondent

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—The city of Los Angeles late today filed a brief in the Los Angeles Plaza union terminal case in which it sets up the contention for the consideration of the State Supreme Court that the California Railroad Commission has the power to order the station built. The brief was presented earlier in the day and accepted by the Supreme Court for filing some time later.

Those listed as presenting the brief are City Attorney Werner, Assistant City Attorney Bryan, Max Thelan as special counsel, and Jess E. Stephens, former City Attorney, as associate counsel.

BRIEF FORMALITY

Primarily the brief is a formality to bring officially to the attention of the State Supreme Court the recent United States Supreme Court decision holding the Interstate Commerce Commission has not the authority to issue a mandatory order for the building of the union railroad passenger terminal. It goes further, however, in citing for the first time the anticipated contention of the city that the so-called "blind spot" left by the United States Supreme Court was left there because previous decisions established the jurisdiction of the State regulatory body.

Reviewing the situation briefly, the document avers the Supreme Court, in no less than two instances in its decision of November 25, last, recognized the mandatory power of the State Railroad Commission, hence did not need to reiterate the authority of the California body which on two occasions has ordered the station constructed on the Plaza site.

FINAL REVIEW DUE

"In view of the decisions of the United States Supreme Court," the brief contends, "particularly the second Los Angeles union-station case, interpreting and affirming the decision in the first Los Angeles union-station case, we believe that it is now clear that jurisdiction in the premises vests in the California Railroad Commission, that the order of that commission now under review by this court is in all respects lawful and that the writs heretofore issued herein should be discharged."

The "order now under review" refers to a petition on the part of the railroads involved—the Southern Pacific, Santa Fe and Los Angeles and Salt Lake (Union Pacific)—for a writ of review of the previous commission order calling for construction of the terminal and elimination of the Alameda-street grade crossings.

By the filing of the brief, the way now is cleared for final consideration of the case by the State Supreme Court.

Patten Estate Shows Assets of $15,559,148

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP) — The final account of the estate of the late James A. Patten was approved in Probate Court today, showing total assets of $15,555,148. Charges against the estate totaled $3,724,852, including a $1,525,723 State inheritance tax.

The widow is to receive the income from the estate as long as she lives. Upon her death the will specifies that one-half of the estate is to be divided equally between two children, Mrs. Agnes Patten Wilder of Santa Barbara, Cal., and John Lowerie Patten, Chicago.

The other half of the estate is to be divided among seven charities outright.

Aviatrix Held for Homicide

FRANKLIN (Tex.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Miss Estelle Stocker, aviatrix of Houston, was charged with negligent homicide today by T. L. Tyson, County Attorney, in connection with the deaths of three negro boys hit by a landing airplane at Hearne yesterday.

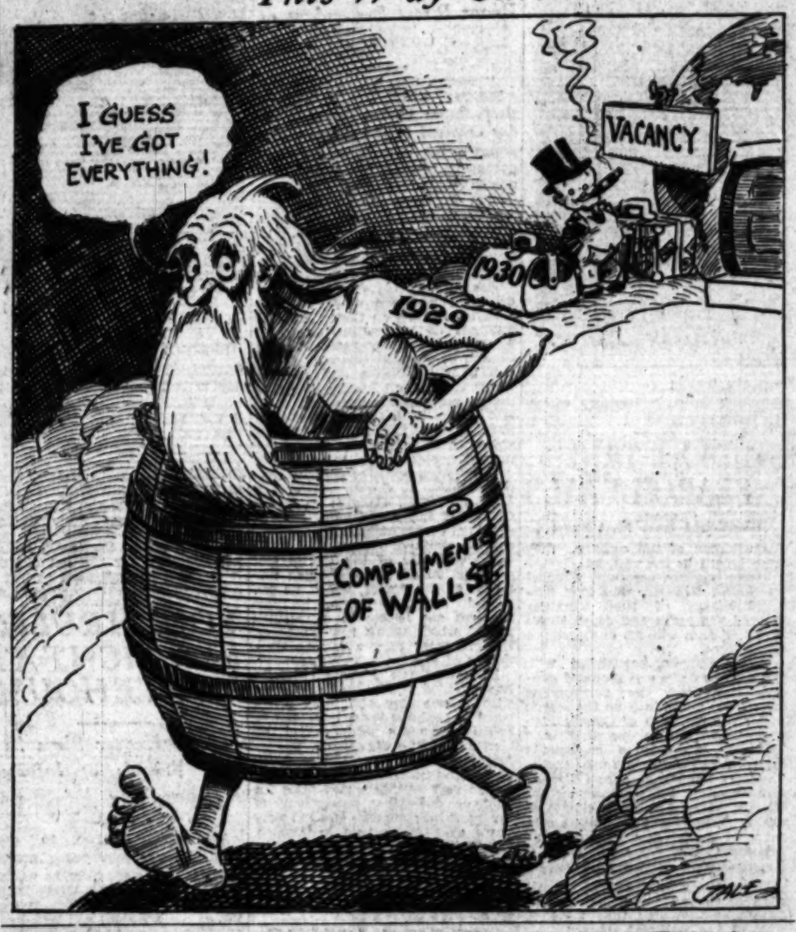
Tyson explained filing of charges was a formality and further proceedings depended upon the grand jury.

Lindberghs Stick in Snowdrift

COLUMBUS (O.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh arrived at Port Columbus today from Detroit after a flight of an hour and forty-five minutes on the first stop of an inspection trip over the Transcontinental Air Transport lines.

Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh became stuck in a snowdrift in attempting to reach the runway on foot and needed the assistance of Harry Kaiser, a T.A.T. employee, to get out.

This Way Out!



STUDENT HUNT INTENSIFIED

Sixty-Hour Search Fails to Uncover Trace of Trio Lost in Wilds of Mt. Wilson

A sixty-hour search for one girl and two boys, believed lost somewhere in the vicinity of Mt. Wilson, has failed to uncover one single lead as to their whereabouts and at midnight last night officials directing the hunt admitted they were completely baffled by the strange disappearance.

The three sought are Celia Caplan, 18 years of age, of 3539 Rambox Drive, a student at the University of California at Los Angeles; Jack Schwartz, 19, of 2539½ East Fourth street, and Lawrence Kotkin, 20, of 3016 Dalton street.

The failure of the intensive hunt conducted yesterday by the combined Federal, State and county forces, in which forest rangers, acquainted with every detail of the terrain, and airplanes, were used to discover a footprint or mark to suggest the path taken by the trio, forced the belief of officials that the young people had reached some point far from the scene of their disappearance on Saturday morning.

TWO HIKERS OVERTAKEN

A hope earlier yesterday that two youths seen near Mt. Gleason, twelve miles northwest of Mt. Wilson, could solve the ever-growing riddle, was dissipated when they were identified as two students from the California Institute of Technology at Pasadena, who were on a holiday hike through the mountains.

The two students, Lawrence Ferguson and William Johnson, Jr., after they were halted by the searching authorities and brought to Newhall, explained that they left Mt. Wilson early Saturday morning and were completing their mountain journey over Mt. Gleason, intending to return home by way of Newhall. They told the officers that they knew nothing of the missing girl and two boys.

CANYON TO BE SEARCHED

At daybreak today mounted forest rangers, accompanied by deputy sheriffs, will start a search of Winter Creek Canyon. The officers pointed out that this almost impenetrable district was the scene of a huge search in 1921. Four students and a lone ranger were lost in this canyon in a snowstorm that year, and their bodies were not recovered for several days. Owing to

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RADIOGRAM MISPLACES NEW LAND

Polar Explorer Corrects Geography of Antarctic Coast Discovery

BY CAPT. RIISER LARSEN
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ON BOARD NORVEGIA IN THE ANTARCTIC, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Checking with Oslo I find that my original dispatch announcing the discovery of new land in the Antarctic (published Saturday by The Times) was garbled in transmission. The new land was reported to lie between Coates Land and the shore of King Haakon Sea. The message should have located the new land between Kemp Land and Enderby Land.

This part of the continental coast appears to be very mountainous, the ice rising to notable heights in a southerly direction.

All aboard the Norvegia are well.

Capt. Riiser Larsen's correction places the new land to the east of the Weddell Sea, near the Enderby Quadrant, or that part of the Antarctic continent which faces the gap between Africa and Australia, about 40 deg. west of Capetown.—Ed.

BAY CITY OFFICER DIES

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Patrolman John F. Ryan, member of the San Francisco Police Department since 1902 and credited with saving many lives from the ruins of the old Valencia Hotel in the Mission district during the disaster of 1906, died here today following a short illness.

Pictures of TOURNAMENT OF ROSES

In order that the ANNUAL MIDWINTER NUMBER to be issued by The Los Angeles Times on January 2, 1930, may present an absolutely complete story of Southern California life, a last-minute feature will be added consisting of a full account of the Tournament of Roses, with pictures of many prize-winning floats and exciting plays in the great East-West football battle.

These New Year's pictures together with the profusion of other illustrations will enable the eastern reader to see the same colorful sights that will greet readers of The Times on their way to Pasadena tomorrow—the mighty background of mountains, palm-lined streets, orange groves, college buildings, country clubs and other outdoor scenes.

This 1930 edition will be made up of six separately bound magazines, three in multi-colors, three in rotogravure. The postage this year on copies mailed by individuals will amount to 18c. When names are furnished to The Times, the six magazines will be mailed postpaid anywhere in the United States, Canada or Mexico for 25c, and to other countries for 35c. Use the order blank printed on another page in today's issue.

RAIN ENDS COLD WAVE OF NORTH

Showers in Bay Region Break Grip of Frosty Weather in Wide Area

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Rain on California's extreme north coast and at northern interior points today cracked the grip of a cold wave, but not before a new low-temperature record for the year had been hung up in San Francisco. The mercury dropped to 39 deg. at 6 a.m., one degree lower than yesterday's minimum. Frost covered the ground in the early morning hours and remained until the sun melted it away.

Elsewhere at northern points frost was common, many cities reporting subfreezing temperatures. Among them are Summit, with a mark of 25 deg.; Fresno, San Jose, Lindsay, Merced, Modesto, Oroville, Paso Robles, Porterville, Rocklin, Santa Rosa and Stockton. It was 33 deg. at Chico and Colusa and a point higher at Red Bluff, Sacramento, Del Monte and Orland.

It will be somewhat milder tomorrow, the Weather Bureau reports, with rain probable in the north and snow in the higher altitudes of the mountain ranges.

Precipitation in inches reported by official northern stations to 5 p.m. today:

	Last 24 hrs.	Season to date	Season last year
Eureka	T.	7.24	15.58
Red Bluff	.01	4.23	3.76

SOUTH POLE LAND FOUND BY WILKINS

Australian Explorer Now Reports Discovery of New Territory

MONTEVIDEO (Uruguay) Dec. 30. (AP)—The government radio service tonight announced receipt of a message saying that Sir Hubert Wilkins, Australian explorer, had discovered territories previously unknown in his last flight over the southern polar icecap. Details of the new lands were not given.

The message came from the steamer Melville, which carried the explorer to Deception Island, which he uses as his base.

Ortiz Rubio Sees Niagara Wonder Wintry Sights

NIAGARA FALLS (N. Y.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Pascual Ortiz Rubio, President-elect of Mexico, with his wife and three children, a number of Mexican officials and others, came here today on a sightseeing tour. The party was met by city officials and officers of the Chamber of Commerce who planned to conduct the visitors on a tour of the points of interest.

The President-elect was unable to state how long he will remain here. Niagara's winter scenery was at its best today. Trees and shrubbery near the cataracts were coated with frozen spray and the gorge cliffs were banked with snow and ice.

YOUNG GIVEN BROADSIDE

Riley Declares Deficit Looms

Twelve Million on Red Side of Ledger Predicted if Spending Goes On

Heron Statement, However, Sets Forth Prospect of Large Surplus

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—California's State government, if Gov. Young's administration is allowed "to continue its prodigal expenditure of public funds," according to State Controller Riley, will face a $12,394,289 general fund deficit during the next biennium, with the largest surplus in the State's history completely destroyed and the future heavily mortgaged.

Controller Riley, Republican candidate for Governor, today made the sensational charge against the Young administration on completion of the Controller's general fund audit. He backed up his arraignment of Young's fiscal policies by an exhaustive analysis of the State's financial condition.

"If the present administration is allowed another term in office to work out its visionary experiments in bureaucracy," asserted Controller Riley, "any impartial auditor can read the handwriting on the wall. An additional State tax levy will be inevitable.

POLICY ASSAILED

"By his policy of free-handed spending in the face of heavy revenue losses, at a time when the economic welfare of the people already is jeopardized by excessive tax burdens, Gov. Young has violated the first principles of good government and sound business management.

"The Young administration, at the outset, inherited a tremendous general fund surplus, totaling, with normal accretions, $31,388,754.69. During the current biennium, our audit shows that $20,480,741.31 of this surplus must be withdrawn to meet the excess of expenditures over income, leaving but $10,908,013.38 in reserve to start the new two-year period.

"Any private business which thus cut into its capital to meet running expenses would be headed straight for bankruptcy. State government in California can only escape that fate by a new tax for State purposes, unless the people unreservedly demand that government abide by normal rules and live within its income.

DEFICIT PROSPECT

"This fact is incontrovertible: Another budget such as the last, with the same ratio of increase in State expenditures, will destroy the last vestige of the general fund reserve and give us in its stead a deficit of $12,334,289.62."

Total budgeted expenditures of the State for the present biennial period, Riley reported, amount to $247,602,401.07, of which general-fund charges represent $137,908,-947.57.

"With general-fund expenditures of $137,958,947.57," announced the Controller, "our audit shows general fund revenues for the biennium of $117,478,106.26.

"The excess of outgo over income, therefore, is $20,480,741.31 for this biennium—a direct drain on the surplus of that amount. This means that on July 1, 1931, a $31,388,754.69 surplus will have dwindled to $10,-908,013.38 in the brief period of two years.

REVENUE OUTLOOK

"Another Young budget, similar to the last—anticipating only the same ratio of increase in expenditures already set, and allowing for a generous increase in State revenues—would start us off on July 1, 1931, with proposed general-fund payments totaling $158,390,552.94. Revenues for the same period would to-

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POPULATION ON WAY UP

State Total Now 5,769,568

Schools Department Survey Adds 137,638 Since 1927-28 Period

Los Angeles Given Credit for Absorbing Most of Increase

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Taking the average daily attendance in elementary schools during 1928-1929 as the medium and the 1920 census as the basis of its computations, the State Department of Education estimated today the population of California to be 5,769,568, an increase of 137,638 over its estimate for the 1927-1928 school period.

The figures were contained in the biennial report issued by Vierling Kersey, Superintendent of Public Instruction. They are particularly interesting in that they indicate losses in Northern California counties and corresponding gains in Southern California counties.

SOME SECTIONS LOST

Statisticians for the Department of Education declared that they checked and rechecked their figures endeavoring to find some explanation for large losses shown in the daily average attendance figures of certain counties and cities. They said they found their calculations correct and came to the conclusion that the children had been taken to other parts of the State.

Los Angeles county showed the greatest gain during the two-year period. In 1927-1928, its population computed on daily average attendance in elementary schools, was figured at 2,230,384, and in 1928-1929 the population was estimated to be 2,322,695, a gain of 101,871.

The city of Los Angeles was shown to have absorbed the bulk of this gain. Its 1927-1928 population was estimated at 1,377,694 and in 1928-1929, the total was 1,453,121, a gain of 74,427. Long Beach was shown to have gained 2484. Compton, 1203, and Glendale 4110 during the latter two years.

Other Southern California counties and cities were credited with substantial gains. San Bernardino city's 1927-1928 population was estimated to be 43,279 and, in 1928-1929, 46,202, a gain of 2823. Santa Ana was credited with a gain of 674; San Bernardino county was credited with a gain of 6798; Orange county, 3568; Imperial county, 2514 and Ventura county, 4110.

DECREASE IN OAKLAND

The heaviest gain in Northern California was credited to San Francisco county. The 1927-1928 population was estimated to be 654,845, compared with the 1928-1929 estimate of 559,964, a gain of 5315. Santa Clara county was credited with a gain of 1806; Monterey county, 2510.

Losses were estimated in some of the northern coast and central valley counties. The heaviest loss was that of Fresno county, whose 1927-1928 population was set at 158,011, and 1928-1929 figure at 154,248, a loss of 3763. Humboldt county was given a loss of 1042; Alameda county lost 810 and Butte county 906.

The city of Oakland was shown to have lost 2116 during the two-year period. Its 1927-1928 population was given as 386,273, and in 1928-1929 it was estimated to be 384,157. The city of Alameda showed a loss of 594.

The city of Fresno was shown to have suffered a loss of 1627; Oroville, Butte county, 475; Richmond, Contra Costa county, 735, and Stockton, San Joaquin county, 1033.

The populations of cities in Los Angeles county outside of Los Angeles were estimated as follows: Long Beach, 138,497; Inglewood, 15,428; Alhambra, 23 161; Burbank, 14,014; Glendale, 52,469; Pasadena, 62,307; Pomona, 21,519; Santa Monica, 32,707; Compton, 12,894.

CALIFORNIA TO RAIN GOLD

More Than $200,000,000 Will be Spent in Year on Public Improvements, Young Tells Hoover

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30. (AP)—The sum of $202,230,123 is to be spent by the State, counties and cities of California in public construction work between December 1, 1929, and December 1, 1930, Gov. Young informed President Hoover today in reply to the latter's request for aid in alleviating the unemployment situation.

Last November President Hoover requested the governors of all States to canvass their counties and cities and State departments as to the extent of public construction work contemplated during the ensuing six and twelve-month periods and advise him of their findings with estimates as to the volume of expenditures involved.

Gov. Young complied by checking State construction programs and sending to county and city officials requests for such information. He received replies from forty-two of the fifty-eight counties and from 139 cities. Only four of the cities failing to report might alter the final tally to any appreciable extent, the Governor said. Among the missing counties only four are of any considerable size. The Governor declined to name the missing cities or counties.

Recapitulation of the returns indicates that in construction of public buildings, new roads and highway repairs during the six-month period ending June 1, 1930, the State plans to spend $29,910,500; counties, $31,450,000, and cities, $49,038,250, totaling $110,398,750.

During the twelve-month period ending December 1, 1930, the State plans to spend $42,900,400; counties, $48,861,473, and cities, $110,468,250, totaling $202,230,123.

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Radio University Idea Advanced

Proposal Features Report by Wilbur Fact-Finding Subcommittee

Suggestion Leads to Naming of Group to Lay Course for Deliberation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (NANA) establishment of a radio university for national education, operating under Federal auspices and supported by income from an endowment fund of $10,000,000, is proposed in the report of a fact-finding subcommittee of the Radio Advisory Committee appointed last autumn by Secretary of the Interior Wilbur. The new university of the air would utilize existing broadcast stations as outlets, presumably linking them as an independent network for educational programs destined for school and home reception.

The report was the subject of an all-day discussion today among the full committee, meeting in Secretary Wilbur's offices. Opposition immediately developed among the membership, especially the representatives of the two existing chain organizations.

WILBUR'S STAND

The proposal was held to be premature by Secretary Wilbur, who said the magnitude of such an undertaking requires that experiments be conducted on a smaller scale at first.

The upshot of the discussion was the appointment of a new committee headed by William John Cooper, United States Commissioner of Education, which was instructed to prepare a resolution embracing the following propositions:

(1.) That there shall be established in the United States office of education a unit of research and information devoted to the study of education by radio.

(2.) That an advisory committee, representing educational institutions, the broadcasting industry and the public, be set up to co-operate with this unit.

(3.) That the unit shall be financed by the Federal government.

In effect, this action sets aside the recommendations of the fact-finding subcommittee on the theory that radio still is an experimental medium and that the establishment of the proposed radio university was "going too fast," as one speaker put it.

The fact-finding subcommittee suggested that the radio university be conducted as a nonprofit making institution, with its educational and financial policies vested in a board of control of not more than fifteen members drawn from such agencies as the Department of the Interior, National Education Association, Association of Land Grant Colleges, American Association of University Professors, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Institute of Radio Engineers, State superintendents of education, National Academy of Sciences, American Academy of Arts and Letters, Federal Radio Commission, American Library Association and United States Chamber of Commerce.

ADMINISTRATION STAFF

The administration would be in the hands of a staff headed by a general director and a director appointed from each of the States. "The field of knowledge to be experimentally cultivated," it was stated, "should be that agreed upon by the State and national directors with the advice of State Departments of instruction and, in the case of adult education, with the advice of the extension departments of the various States and universities."

The Columbia Broadcasting System proposed establishing a division of radio education in the United States Bureau of Education, this division to provide elementary and adult educational programs through the existing chain systems.

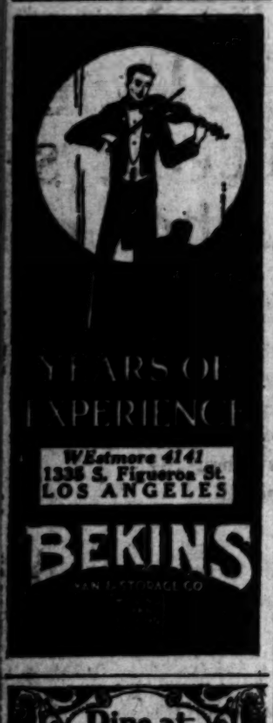
The National Broadcasting Company opposed the proposed radio university in the belief that "education by radio has not as yet gone far enough to warrant taking so definite a step."

DELIBERATION URGED

Secretary Wilbur counseled deliberation.

"Education by radio is a new problem under the sun," he said. "Heretofore education has rested largely with local communities, the State and with institutions privately operated. Those communities and institutions provided such education as they deemed best for those whom they served. . . . but now comes radio which knows no State, no county or institutional boundary. The development of means for making proper use of it calls for new viewpoints in education. It calls loudly for experimentation.

"But energetic steps should be taken, at least leading toward continent-wide mastery of this new and vastly important national problem."



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Search Becomes More Intensive

Experts Scan Mountain Trails

Los Angeles county patrol officers examining trails in territory where students are thought to have wandered.

STUDENT TRIO SEARCH FAILS

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the wildness of the country they were buried in the canyon.

Three hundred searchers directed by Sheriff Traeger, who took personal charge of the situation, combed the north and south slopes of Mt. Wilson without uncovering a single trace.

Forest rangers, acquainted with the devious trails and secluded canyons that mark the surrounding section for miles, took up the search under the direction of County Forester Turner. Fire wardens and lookouts, whose eyes continually scan the entire country, were supervised by Assistant Fire Warden Graves, while a detachment of the County Motor Patrol, in charge of Officer Erb, rode and walked over miles of mountain roadways in an attempt to find the missing trio.

GOVERNOR ORDERS PLANES

Gov. Young took official cognizance of the seriousness of the situation and directed that the local unit of the National Guard Air Forces dispatch airplanes over the scene. Two ships were sent into the air and patrolled the country for more than three hours, but returned to their hangars and reported no trace.

A private plane, chartered by Sam Caplan, father of the missing girl, piloted by Maj. Moseley, flew over the area for two hours. Louis Gordon, a relative of Miss Caplan, accompanied the plane, but was unable to discover any sight of the lost trio.

The entry of the State air forces into the search came through a request of Irving Lipsitch, executive director of the Federated Jewish Welfare organizations. He asked the Governor for the "co-operation of the State machinery with the use of airplanes to assist in locating the trio."

FEARS INCREASE

The request immediately was forwarded to Adjt.-Gen. Mittelstaedt in Sacramento and orders were telegraphed to Griffith Park to the Fortieth Division, Air Corps, to take immediate steps to aid the search.

Headquarters for the searching battalions were established yesterday at the Altadena substation, and Chief Criminal Deputy Dewar and Capt. Bright were placed in charge of various lines of endeavor in the attempts to locate the students.

Early today thirty forest rangers will establish a camp at Henniger Flats, where cook tents and quarters for men and horses will be arranged. From this point the authorities expect to spread fan-shape over all the territory and systematically search each section.

Hopes that the students were alive and uninjured were held out late yesterday, but when the day's searchers returned at nightfall with no trace the authorities admitted that their attempts to reach the trio alive might prove futile.

SMOKE TRACES SOUGHT

Forestry officials were puzzled over the failure to uncover one single trace of the three, and pointed out that instructions had been issued to all lookouts to observe carefully fo rany trace of smoke. This, they believed would be the signal that the two boys would send out as soon as they realized they were completely lost. No smoke beacon was discovered during the entire day. It also was reported that the lookout, who can observe miles of territory surrounding Mt. Wilson had been on duty continuously since Sunday, when the alarm first was sent out, and had reported no signs of fire or smoke from any direction.

Members of the family of the Caplan girl, who is a student at University of California at Los Angeles, were still hopeful late yesterday, but were showing anxiety over the fact that she was wearing very light clothing when she was missed and must have suffered intensely from the mountain coldness. The three carried a few sandwiches, but no water, and have undergone physical hardships in facing the three nights in the mountains.

KINFOLK IN SEARCH

The father of the missing girl and two brothers were in the searching party yesterday, and remained in the mountain area throughout the night.

A reward of $500 has been offered by the father for the finding of the girl, and it was augmented yesterday when friends of the family agreed to add to the amount.

The missing girl and two boys were part of a hiking body of fifteen students, four girls and eleven boys, who climbed to the top of Mt. Wilson Friday afternoon. They remained at the hotel that night and Saturday morning started the return trip. They divided into groups and agreed to meet at Half-Way House.

In some manner the lost trio became separated from their companions and failed to arrive at the meeting-point.

After a three-hour wait and attempts to find the missing trio the students reported the situation to authorities and the search started early Sunday morning.

Strike of Stage Hands Settled

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—A strike of stage hands which has kept three theaters in Cincinnati, owned by the Shubert and Erlanger interests, closed all season, was settled at a conference in the Shubert offices here today.

David B. Finestone represented the Shuberts at the conference and John J. Dillon the Erlangers. The stage hands were represented by William Elliott of the Cincinnati local and William Canavan of the stage hands' international union.

No details as to the terms of the settlement were given out.

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CORTEZ PAPERS GIVEN MEXICO

Prince Pignatelli Makes Presentation

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Donor Direct Descendant of Conquerer

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MEXICO CITY, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Prince Valerio Pignatelli today delivered to the Mexican government the family papers and documents of Hernando Cortez, conqueror of Mexico, which have been in the Pignatelli family for four centuries. Prince Pignatelli is a direct descendant of Cortez. In 1925 the Mexican government presented Prince Pignatelli with the old palace of Cortez in Cuernavaca.

The Cortez archives contain very extensive and the most valuable material relating to Cortez and his conquest of Mexico in existence. They lay for many years in the Church of Jesus in this city, which was built by Cortez on the spot where Cortez and his Spanish followers met Montesuma in 1519. Montesuma went to the unwelcome meeting with the invaders in a golden palanquin attended by the highest nobles of the Aztec nation.

The Cortez archives contain correspondence of Cortez with the King of Spain, Spanish courtiers, Council of Indies and numerous accounts of events happening throughout his years of conquest and the following years of the Cortez administration of the conquered domains of the Astecs, which he renamed the New Spain. In the archives are letters of a familiar nature which throw new light on the character of the famous conqueror of Mexico.

For years the Pignatelli family has guarded the papers of Cortes with jealous care and those privileged to examine them have had to promise solemnly not to reveal the contents of the documents. Therefore, the Cortez papers from today on are the property of the Mexican nation and contain a rich mine for students dedicating researches to Cortez or his conquests and the early years of Spanish rule in Mexico. The papers will from now on be open to investigators who come properly recommended.

PLANE FALL COSTS LIVES OF QUINTET

Four Men and Woman Die in Texas Air Accident; Wife of Victim Spared

AMARILLO (Tex.) Sept. 30. (AP)—Five persons were killed late today when a plane piloted by Lieut. Robert H. Gray, manager of the Amarillo branch of the Texas Air Transport Company, crashed on the golf course of the Hillcrest Country Club shortly after an impromptu landing and take-off on the course.

The dead are Lieut. Gray, Mrs. Gray, H. L. Allison, tire dealer; Robert Moore, filling-station proprietor, and C. M. Dillon, manager of an Amarillo oil company.

All except Dillon were dead when ambulances reached the scene. Dillon died before reaching a hospital.

Mrs. Dillon had been in the plane a short time before. She said Lieut. Gray and the party had been flying over the city for about two hours. They flew over the country club, she said, and made a landing so she could joint a party there.

After letting Mrs. Dillon out the plane took off and flew around for about fifteen minutes, then again approached the field, as if to make a landing. About 200 feet from the ground the plane went into a spin and crashed.

Bootlegging by Phone Respited

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive) — Illicit liquor venders, known as telephone bootleggers, won at least a temporary victory today through the medium of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, in their efforts to escape prosecution. With the consent of Asst. U. S. Atty. Van Der Zee, all pending cases involving telephone bootleggers were dismissed by Commissioner Fisk.

The telephone company, seeking a legal definition of its obligations in the matter of supplying confidential information on telephone numbers after the information once given under subpoena had been used in raids and the making of arrests, denied the jurisdiction of the Federal commissioners to issue subpoenas for the identity and address of persons whose telephone numbers were supplied.

ELBERT C. APPERSON SUCCUMBS AT SUNOL

OAKLAND, Dec. 30. (AP)—Elbert Clark Apperson, 78 years of age, brother of the late Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, and uncle of William Randolph Hearst, newspaper publisher, died today at Sunol, near here. He was a retired cattleman and had made his home at Sunol for sixty years. He leaves his widow, Elizabeth A. Apperson, with whom he celebrated their fifty-third wedding anniversary the 17th inst.; a daughter, Mrs. Joseph Flint, now traveling in Europe, and a son, Randolph Apperson, City Councilman of Pleasanton.

Joseph M. Schenck tells how the advent of talking films have stabilized the motion-picture industry, in the Annual Midwinter Number, out January 2.

CHINESE GIRL RANKS HIGH IN SPELLING

(P. & A. photo)

Emma Quong

SPRINGFIELD (Ill) Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Were Bret Harte alive today it is highly probable that he would express regrets over his poem of the "heathen Chinee," for a Chinese girl, Emma Quong, 13 years of age, put the majority of her white classmates to shame when she finished second in the Illinois State spelling championship matches here. Little Miss Quong stood toe to toe with Marie Dench, the champion, until the word "mimicked" was called. Spelling that word spelled her downfall, for she left out the letter "k." Miss Dench spelled it correctly and won the championship.

YOUTH RULES FOR NIGHT AT WHITE HOUSE

Allan Hoover Plays Host to Friends at Informal Dance Party

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Just like any jolly young people's party in an American home was the dance given at the White House tonight by Allan Hoover, younger son of the President and Mrs. Hoover. The party was characterized by informality and a good time.

A limited number of young people from the official and Presidential groups made up the guest list. The affair had been hurriedly arranged and verbal invitations were given only a few days ago.

Pretty debutantes in dainty frocks danced with the President's son and some of his Harvard classmates who are home for the holidays. A hotel orchestra played jam music. The Marine Band played during supper, which was served at midnight at small tables in the State dining-room.

The White House was decorated with fresh flowers, Christmas greens and poinsettias.

ENTRY OF MAN SET BACK AGES

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man from New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas and Colorado, were described as carrying back human existence from 20,000 to 500,000 years.

"Arrowheads from Yuma county, Colorado," Cook said, "indicate skill not exceeded in the history of stone work. In beauty and workmanship they are equal to the finest things done by stone age men in Europe.

"Tools made of extinct bison and elephant bones may date back 20,000 to 40,000 years ago, and are as good as Europe's best.

"The strongest evidence has been found in Frederick, Okla., where material appears to date back at least to the first half of the last 1,000,000 years. There are arrows, superbly chipped, unlike anything found.

"There is no doubt, so ancient are the remains, but all evidence points in the same direction. There is nothing negative except the belief in many minds that American man was not that old."

Such well-known anthropologists as Pay-Cooper Cole, University of Chicago, and Carl E. Guthe, University of Michigan, considered the evidence "not as proof, but surely worthy of consideration."

"I am satisfied," Dr. Cole said, "that bison remains found in New Mexico associated with artifacts were kills made by man. Either we must revise our notions of the antiquity of man or the animals carried on into times during which they have been held to be extinct."

The oldest tracks of webbed feet known to science were exhibited by Dr. E. B. Branson and Dr. M. G. Mehl of University of Missouri. Imprinted in mud of what is now Wyoming, millions of years ago, during the early coal age, they puzzle the scientists. No prehistoric duck or any kind of bird could have made them for none of the birds then had been evolved. Some four-foot creature that walked more on its hind feet than on its fore feet made the forty-nine enigmatic footprints. These newly found footprints on the mud of time constitute all that science knows of the strange five-toed webbed-foot that made them.

MOTHER PAYS DOOMED SLAYER FINAL VISIT

SAN QUENTIN PRISON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Louis Lazarus, bank bandit sentenced to hang Friday for the shooting of William McFarlin, bank teller, during a hold-up of the Seventh-avenue branch of the Oakland Bank in July, 1926, was visited by his mother, Mrs. Lena Lazarus, today for the last time.

STUTZ MERGER DEAL FORECAST

Auto Company Named in Two Bankruptcy Actions

Immediate Union With Motor Concern Indicated

Factory in Hoosier Capital Has Been Closed

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Merger of Stutz Motor Car Company of America whose stocks figured in the famous Wall street Stutz stock corner of Allan A. Ryan in 1920, is predicted here tonight following naming of Stutz in two bankruptcy actions filed here today.

Stutz stock at one time reached a $734 high on the curb market but for the last few months the Stutz factory here has been closed and reorganization has been under consideration.

MERGER FORECAST

Edgar S. Gorrell, Stutz president, will return to Indianapolis immediately and merger with a prominent and leading automobile concern will follow, it is predicted. Otherwise, officials would not comment. Prominent directors and supposedly majority stockholders of Stutz at present are Charles M. Schwab, chairman of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, and E. V. R. Thayer of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and Chase National Bank director.

E. C. Atkins & Co., the Hide and Leather Belting Company, and the Vonnegut Hardware Company, all of Indianapolis, listed $2176 claims in an involuntary bankruptcy suit filed in Federal Court here.

CLAIMS FILED

The Standard Automotive Parts Company, Muskegon, Mich., filed in County Superior Court for appointment of a receiver, listing a $758.12 claim. Stutz has insufficient assets to pay creditors, the suit asserts. The Faires Manufacturing Company, Decatur, Ill., then filed an intervening petition asking $1399.06 judgment against Stutz.

The Federal Court petition asserts Stutz has committed acts of bankruptcy while insolvent within the last four months by transferring part of its property to one or more unnamed preferred creditors. The suit must be answered in twenty days to prevent automatic declaration of bankruptcy.

YOUNG SPENDING POLICY SCORED

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tal $134,148,249.34, or $34,242,303 short of requirements.

"Set up against this shortage the remaining $10,908,013.36 in the surplus as of that date, allow $1,000,000 additional for possible reversion of unused appropriations, and we still face under the best of circumstances a $12,334,289.62 deficit in the general fund.

"No explanations, however plausible, can alter the fact that we stand today at the financial crossroads. We cannot continue this prodigal expenditure of public funds and this unsound policy of mortgaging the future without seriously crippling the normal business and economic development of our State, or bankrupting the government.

"A halt must be called!"

FINANCE DIRECTOR GIVES BRIGHT FORECAST

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30. (AP)—California faces 1930 with a happy condition in its State finances, A. R. Heron, Director of Finances, declared today, and the close of the present biennium June 30, 1930, will see the State general fund possessed of a surplus "exceeding by millions of dollars," that which existed when Gov. Young took office in 1927.

The actual cash on hand and in banks, Heron declared, is almost $72,000,000 "and enough to meet all probable obligations of the State beyond the end of the present fiscal year."

Commenting on the condition of the State's general fund Heron said:

"Gov. Young on entering office in January, 1927, found a general fund surplus of approximately $20,000,000, largely the result of delayed collections of the King tax bill revenues.

"This surplus was considerably built up during his first two years in office. The Legislature in 1929 effected two major reductions in State tax rates in conformity with the policies of the administration.

"The first of these was a reduction in inheritance tax rates recommended by Controller Riley, lowering estimated revenues of the next two years by several million dollars. The second was the new bank and corporation tax law, effecting considerable reductions to the corporations concerned, but at the same time saving more than $20,000,000 of State revenue endangered by legislation of previous years found invalid.

"The close of the present biennium, June 30, 1930, will see the State general fund possessed of a surplus exceeding by millions of dollars that which existed when Gov. Young entered office.

"The collection of State taxes shows a healthy condition of general business in California. Collections under the new bank and corporation tax law, the general utility and insurance taxes, gasoline taxes and others, have been marked by promptness and almost total absence of contest.

"The construction of our State highway system has been resumed on a self-supporting pay-as-you-go system, which levies no costs on the State general fund."

PENCIL MAKER ENDS LIFE

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Wilfred E. Gerry, 52 years of age, president of the Rite Rite Pencil Corporation, formerly of London, Ont., killed himself today in his hotel apartment. Police said he took poison.

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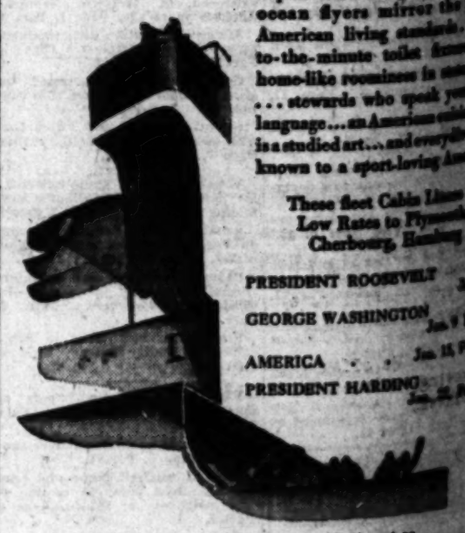

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ITALY'S HAND IN RUMANIA

Recall of Carol Advised

Minister to Bucharest Says His Government Wants Dynasty Regularized

Fear of Jugo-Slavia Balks Serious Protest Against Bold Interference

LONDON, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—[illegible] reached London today of extraordinary interference in Rumanian internal affairs by Italy.

Four days ago Signor Preciosi, Italian Minister to Bucharest, called on the Rumanian Foreign Office and informed it in the name of the Italian government that Italy considered it necessary to regularise the question of succession to the Rumanian throne and that Prince Carol should be recalled to Rumania and proclaimed King.

Rumanians are furious at this unwarranted interference but fear to make any effective protest as they say Italy both regard Jugo-Slavia as an enemy and Rumania fears isolation. It is believed here that Prince Carol has probably promised Italy support Italy against Jugo-Slavia in return for its support in his ambition to ascend to the throne.

RIGHTS RENOUNCED

Prince Carol renounced his rights of succession to the Rumanian throne in the latter part of November, 1925, communicating his renunciation to his father, the late King Ferdinand, in writing. He has spent most of his time in exile in various European cities.

Following the death of King Ferdinand July 15, 1927, Prince Carol on July 21, in a telephone interview with a newspaper man, said: "I would now be addressed as 'Your Majesty.'"

However, Prince Carol's son, Michael, when 6 years of age, was proclaimed King and crowned on Oct. 20. At the special request of the late King Ferdinand a special regency of three members will rule during King Michael until he reaches the age of 18.

TROUBLE DUE TO LOVE

Prince Carol several times has made declarations designed to bring him back to the Rumanian throne, but the regency has balked him each time.

Prince Carol's renunciation of the Rumanian throne was brought by his many love affairs. Most prominent among these was Mme. Magda Lupescu, beautiful red-headed daughter of a merchant of Jassy, for whom Prince Carol is now living in France.

WIFE SAYS VACUUM CLEANER MAN CRUEL

RENO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Mrs. Dorothy May Hoover, daughter of the late A. Stanford White, former president of the Chicago Board of Trade, was granted a divorce here today from Howard Earl Hoover, connected with the Hoover Vacuum Cleaner Company.

Mrs. Hoover charged her husband with mental cruelty.

Prince May Take Crown From Son

His Majesty and His Father
Crown Prince Carol and his son, King Michael, 8 years of age, who may be deposed in Carol's favor.

DEATH PUT IN CAKE FOR CHRISTMAS

Washington Baker's Error Spreads Deadly Product; Tragedy Barely Averted

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Nine home-baked Christmas fruit cakes, accidentally seasoned with arsenic, were apprehended by the United States and Canada food and drug administrations before they appeared at Christmas tables.

Dr. G. P. Dunbar, assistant chief of the food and drug administration, said the first specimen of the contaminated cakes was delivered to the administration laboratory, the 19th inst. This cake, purchased from a housekeeper who conducts a small retail business in home-baked Christmas fruit cakes, had made several persons in nearby Virginia ill.

Without waiting completion of the chemical analysis the administration detailed Inspector G. P. Larrick to find and obtain the return of every fruit cake which had been distributed.

The chemical analysis showed the cake heavily loaded with poison, containing nearly 2000 times the amount regarded within the limit of safety.

Inspector Larrick learned this cake was one of nine baked for the Christmas trade. Eight cakes were quickly located. The ninth had been bought as a Christmas present for relatives in Canada by a house-to-house agent whose identity and whereabouts were unknown.

Dr. Shiels of Bay City Dies

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Dr. John Wilson Shiels, head of Letterman Hospital at the Presidio during the World War, former supervisor of San Francisco hospitals and regarded as one of California's foremost physicians, died late today at Franklin Hospital following an operation for stomach trouble. He was 58 years of age.

Dr. Shiels twice was president of the Bohemian Club and was the author of one of that organization's Bohemian Grove plays.

UNCLE SAM CALLED DUB IN BUSINESS

"Keep Government Out of Private Affairs," Warns Edison in Interview

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—An admonition to "keep the government out of business" was given by Thomas A. Edison in an interview appearing today in the Illinois Manufacturers' News.

"One of the highest duties of the President is to keep the government out of business," Mr. Edison said. "That is his biggest job and I should include in that job the clearing out of the bureaucracies which are growing up in Washington and becoming a wasteful nuisance."

In a characteristic sally the inventor said: "The government never really goes into business, for it never makes ends meet. "And that is the first requisite of business."

SAN JOSE PASTOR AND FUNDAMENTALIST DIES

SAN JOSE, Dec. 30. (AP)—Rev. William Keeney Towner, former minister of the First Baptist Church of San Jose, died at his home here today after several months' illness. Widely known as a champion of fundamentalism, Rev. Mr. Towner left the pastorate of the First Baptist Church in 1927 to engage in evangelistic work.

ARIZONA RIVER MEET ASSURED

Phillips Lets Down Barrier to Tri-State Session

Wires Wilbur Willingness to Try for Peace

Date for Phoenix Gathering Not Yet Determined

PHOENIX, Dec. 30. (AP)—Gov. Phillips received a telegram from Secretary of the Interior Wilbur tonight, suggesting January 20 as the date of a tri-State conference of representatives of the Colorado River commissions of Arizona, California and Nevada.

PHOENIX, Dec. 30. (AP)—The last obstacle to a tri-State Colorado River conference here in January, to attempt an ironing out of difficulties which have arisen between Arizona, California and Nevada, was removed today.

Gov. Phillips telegraphed Secretary of the Interior Wilbur that the Arizona Colorado River Commission has approved the meeting, which recently was proposed by the Interior Secretary.

Govs. Young of California and Balzar of Nevada previously had signified willingness of their States to take part in the conference.

Secretary Wilbur suggested that the conference be convened January 6. Arizona has left the date open, but has indicated its preference for January 13, due to the fact that Chairman Charles B. Ward of the Arizona Colorado River Commission is out of the State, and will not return until January 5.

Arizona two months ago withdrew from efforts to reach a tri-State agreement with California and Nevada, and prepared a suit to be filed in United States Supreme Court challenging tentative allocations of water and power made by Secretary Wilbur, as in violation of an understanding said by the Arizona representatives to have been reached at the Washington conference last June, that the negotiations would be left in status quo until further matters relative to allocations and prices to be charged for water and power could be thrashed out among the interested lower-basin States.

The telegram approving the conference read:

"At a meeting of our commission yesterday and today, our commission considered your telegram of the 26th inst. and the telegraphic correspondence which has passed between us in relation to your proposal of a further meeting of the lower-basin States.

"Our commission is fully in accord with your proposal.

"We are delighted to know that the proposed conference can be held in our State and that Col. Donovan (William J. Donovan, government representative at the river conferences) will be able to attend. We especially appreciate that the conference will undertake to negotiate complete settlement of all questions in dispute, including water and revenue, taking up all matters at the point and in the condition in which they were left at the adjournment of our Washington conference last June.

"I shall appoint an adviser and notify you thereof when I have had more time to consider it. We assure you that it will be a real pleasure to have these neighboring commissioners and their advisers with us on such a date as we may agree upon. (Signed) JOHN G. PHILLIPS."

BOY HUNTER WOUNDED

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Ventoro Nevarez, 14 years of age, of Pirtleville, a Douglas suburb, was injured fatally while hunting on the flats north of this city Sunday afternoon when a small rifle carried by his companion, Isuart Pinedo, 15, was accidentally discharged.

AGAIN EAST IS EAST AND WEST IS WEST

[P. & A. Photo]
Mrs. Frances Jacques Youngblood

CORYDON (Iowa) Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Oriental ideas are today blamed for wrecking the marital bark of Gifford De Witt Youngblood of Corydon, and his bride of a few months, who was Frances Jacques, accomplished pianist of Armenian descent. Youngblood has filed a $100,000 suit against his wife's parents and Dr. Vahan M. Maragian, charging alienation of affections.

Youngblood met his wife last February at Chicago. They eloped in March. Immediately after the arrival of the young couple at the groom's parents' home, Youngblood charges, Dr. Maragian arrived from Chicago to tell the girl that her father was dying. This, Youngblood declares, was false and merely a ruse to get his wife to Chicago, and when Mrs. Youngblood returned to her husband here, Dr. Maragian again persuaded her to return to her parents.

According to the husband, Dr. Maragian, although married, was the girl's suitor.

IDENTITY OF AUTO CRASH VICTIM HID

Texas Authorities View "Dr. Carver" as Sargent, World War Hero

COLUMBUS (Tex.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Sheriff Hillman and Justice of the Peace Hahn of Colorado county were en route here from Houston early tonight with effects expected to verify partial identification of a 52-year-old man killed in an auto accident here Saturday as John W. Sargent of Searsport, Me.

The authorities have been confused in efforts to identify the body as the victim was known to his assistant and traveling companion, H. L. Miller, Roanoke (Va.) high-school graduate, as Dr. Jonathan W. S. Carver.

Letters, memoranda and a diary carried in a small brief case bore the names both of Carver and Sargent.

Investigation of the effects disclosed a French Legion of Honor decoration and papers indicating that Sargent, or Carver, was a former member of the Lafayette Escadrille.

A message from George Clarke Sargent, San Francisco attorney, formed the best clew developed during the day. A scar about six inches long on the calf of the right leg, mentioned in a communication from the California attorney, was thought to further establish the dead man as John W. Sargent who, the Californian wired Columbus officials, was a distant cousin. The latter, he said, had been engaged in work for the National Geographic Society on archaeological research and was said to be a fellow of the Royal Geographic Society of Great Britain.

INDIAN FREEDOM PARLEY BEGINS

Gandhi's Peaceful Program May be Rejected

Suffers Minor Setback at Committee Session

Communal Government Opposed by Sikhs

LAHORE (India) Dec. 30. (AP)—Plenary sessions of the All-Indian Nationalist Congress which will consider resolutions asking the complete independence of India from the British crown will begin tomorrow.

Mahatma Gandhi, the Nationalist leader, who introduced the proposal favoring complete independence to be attained gradually, using non-co-operation as a means of bringing this about, suffered his first defeat at the hands of the congress today. The subjects committee rejected the working committee's proposal to appoint completely autonomous permanent committees to do the congress work in respect to untouchability, khadjar (homespun) and prohibition. The opposition characterized the proposed decentralization as an act of suicide on the part of the congress.

FRIENDLY OFFER REFUSED

The subjects committee, by the narrow margin of one vote, 114 to 113, defeated an appreciative reference to the Viceroy's offer of a round-table conference. The opposition, however, will try to reverse this decision in the open conference.

While the executive committee of the All-Indian Nationalist Congress has adopted the view of Gandhi that the avowed aim of Indian independence should be secured through a progressive campaign of a nonviolent character, there is the possibility that the congress itself may revoke this view and press for immediate action against British rule.

BOYCOTT PROPOSAL WINS

Boycott of the legislative councils was carried by the executive committee, but an amendment to boycott the law courts also was defeated only by a narrow majority. Both the Gandhi section and the more extremist section are preparing to canvass the delegates carefully.

Gandhi's resolution urging boycott of the legislatures omitted mention of boycott of municipalities where the oath of allegiance is administered. This is believed to strengthen the view that capture of the municipal councils is not inconsistent with the avowed policy of the independent faction.

SIKHS PARADE

The conference, which is regarded as of extreme importance both in Great Britain and India, has had a picturesque interlude in the appearance of a great influx of Sikhs, famous warriors of the Punjab. Today a great procession of Sikhs, headed by President Kharak Singh, their leader, riding on an elephant, made its way through the city and held a monster meeting outside the old fort.

President Kharak announced at this conference that a report made by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru dealing with communal representation has been discarded, and that Gandhi has assured him no communal solution will be made in the future which does not satisfy the Sikhs. Gandhi has promised that the Sikhs will have a special color in the national flag. Kharak Singh, therefore, advised the Sikhs to work for complete national independence.

In their speeches Kharak Singh and other leaders declared that the Sikhs will fight to the bitter end to prevent communal government in the Punjab.

LONDON CONFERENCE ACCEPTABLE TO LIBERALS

MADRAS (India) Dec. 30. (AP)—The attitude of the Indian National Liberal Federation, now meeting here, is in strong contrast to the independent aspirations of the Indian National Congress at Lahore.

The Liberal Federation, accepting Great Britain's declaration of ultimate dominion status for India, pledges participation in the proposed round-table conference in London and urges that Indian progressives have preponderant representation at the conference.

FIGHT REVEALS RUM THEFT

Liquor for Party Which Ended in Brawl Believed Stolen by Coast Guards from Seized Ship

NEW LONDON (Ct.) Dec. 30. (AP)—While an investigation into the slaying of three rum-runners by Coast Guardsmen was in progress here today, a second inquiry was begun into the asserted theft of liquor by guardsmen from the Flor Del Mar, a rum-runner seized Saturday night with 4000 cases aboard.

Capt. L. T. Chalker, chief of staff, acted as a result of a brawl in which two men, one a sailor attached to the submarine base and the other a guardsman, were assaulted in a rooming-house in this city.

Five guardsmen were taken into custody late today by Coast Guard officials and face court-martial. A thorough search of all patrol boats and destroyers and of men coming and going was ordered by Capt Chalker.

Guardsmen arrested by New London police admitted, the police say, that liquor they had been drinking at a party early today attended by several members of the Coast Guard's basketball team had been taken from the Flor Del Mar. The rum-runner had been set afire by her crew before they made their escape in a small boat. A Coast Guard crew extinguished the fire and towed the rum vessel here. The contraband liquor was unloaded last night and stored in a warehouse.

Capt. Chalker, in admitting an investigation is under way, said that because of the condition of the Flor Del Mar, it was necessary to make haste in unloading, and many cases had been broken open by an explosion on the boat. This, he said, made it comparatively easy for the guardsmen to obtain the liquor.

RUM BOAT FATALITIES BRING INVESTIGATIONS

NEW LONDON (Ct.) Dec. 30. (AP) The Coast Guard investigation into the killing of three rum runners in the foggy waters of Long Island Sound early Sunday morning by the crew of the patrol boat CG-290 began today. Nothing was made public regarding the inquiry which Lieutenant-Commander C. C. Von Paulsen was instructed to conduct.

The crew, six in number, was restricted to the confines of the base.

Regulations for Control of Boll Worm Changed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—The Secretary of Agriculture today announced a revision of the pink-boll-worm-control regulations, incorporating five amendments to the July, 1927, regulations, to become effective January 1.

The most important change is authorization of interstate movement of cotton samples and of compressed and baled lint or linters from regulated areas of Western Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, without fumigation, when such samples, lint or linters, have been produced in a county within which, and within five miles of which, no pink boll worm infestation has been found for the two preceding seasons.

Guard Cut and Convict Shot in Missouri Break

JEFFERSON CITY (Mo.) Dec. 30. (AP)—A tower guard was stabbed and a convict was shot when two inmates of the Missouri State penitentiary here made an ineffectual attempt to escape today.

John T. Bradley, guard, is in a hospital with a slashed abdomen and wounds about the head from a blackjack, and Virgil Davis, 24 years of age, convict, is in the prison hospital with buckshot wounds about the hips.

Bradley was stabbed when Davis and Clarence Hansen, another convict, crawled over the prison wall in a desperate dash for liberty. Davis was shot by another tower guard and Hansen was captured within a block of the prison.

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WEDDING TRAIN TO BE GUARDED

Belgian Royal Nuptial Party Slated for Close Watch

Reds and Foes of Fascism Kept Under Scrutiny

Duke of York to Attend as British Representative

BRUSSELS, Dec. 30. (AP)—Police authorities, guarding against any attempt against the lives of the royal family, are taking extensive measures to protect the royal train which will convey the Belgian wedding party to Rome next Friday evening for the marriage of Princess Marie Jose to Crown Prince Humbert.

The royal Italian train, due on Wednesday evening in Brussels, has eight coaches and will be entirely in charge of Italian personnel. Strict orders have been given not to allow anyone on board the coaches during their stay here and the train will be guarded day and night by special detectives.

The Brussels northern station, whence the party will entrain, will be guarded heavily by police and scores of detectives posted along the route to the station and along the tracks to the Luxembourg frontier.

All subways, bridges and crossings will be guarded by military, gendarmes and police. All known anarchists, Communists and anti-Fascists are being closely watched.

Similar measures are stated to have been taken in Luxembourg, French and Swiss territories.

KING GEORGE TO SEND DUKE OF YORK

LONDON, Dec. 30. (AP)—The Duke of York will represent King George next week at the marriage of Crown Prince Humbert of Italy and Princess Marie Jose of Belgium. While in Rome the Duke will be the guest of the British Ambassador.

FLAMING YOUTH STILL HOLDS TO FILIAL DUTY

AUGUSTA (Me.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Answers to a questionnaire by 2500 of last June's high-school graduates in this State showed that the majority had chosen "Honor Thy Father and Mother," as the most important commandment.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh was the living character most admired, "Mother" was a close second, Thomas A. Edison was third and President Hoover fourth. The questionnaire was sent out by a committee of the Maine Principals' Association and the State Department of Education.

Honor appealed to both sexes as the quality most admired in boys and girls, with good manners and scholarship ranking second and third, respectively. Smart clothes and excellence in dancing followed.

Approximately 95 per cent of the girls intend to become teachers, nurses and stenographers. Aviation, mechanical and scientific pursuits topped the diversified list of vocations in the minds of the boys.

HEFLIN TEARS INTO FASCISTS

Senate Investigation Asked on American Activities

League's Recent Recent Called "Propaganda"

"Deadly Evils" Feared Due to "Foreign Influence"

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Asserting the announced diss lution o. the Fascist League of America is believed by many patriotic Americans of Italian blood to be "deceptive propaganda" to throw the American people off their guard, Senator Heflin, Democrat, Alabama, said today he will seek a Senate investigation of the Fascist activities in this country.

Heflin said he was "astounded at Secretary Stimson's statement last week declaring an investigation had shown no improper acts by the Fascis' organization in this country against the United States government."

"Somebody in the State Department has evidently deceived Secretary Stimson about this matter," he said, adding that: "A thorough investigation of Fascist activities in the United States will show a shocking and horrible condition to have been produced wherever that organization has lifted its hideous head."

The Alabaman, author of the resolution calling for the State Department inquiry, said the Fascist organization "never thought of the disbanding scheme" until after his resolution was introduced.

"Mussolini's Fascist leaders here have announced that they would take the charter and all records to Rome," he said.

"I wish to serve notice on them now that I shall ask that the charter, records and all other papers connected with the activities of the Fascisti order be kept in the United States for examination by the Senate committee."

One of the gravest dangers confronting the American people today, he asserted, is "alien influence," coupled with the "cowardice we see displayed by public officials who ought to be firm and outspoken against these deadly evils, but who seem to be intimidated by these foreign influences and their bold and arrogant agents who hate the free institutions of our country."

BITS OF NEWS FROM "TIMES" WANT ADS

Party will sell established private school together with furnishings and income for $6000 cash.

Three garages and furnace are important features included with seven-room unfurnished house, which may be rented for $55 per month.

Diamond brooch was lost Friday night for which reward is offered.

COTTON GROUP SPEEDS PLANS

Farm Board's Association to Form by January 15

Legge Goes for Conferences in Southwest States

Early Completion of Grain Corporation Pledged

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Incorporation of the $30,000,000 Cotton Marketing Association by January 15, next, and early selection of facilities and personnel for the Farmers' National Grain Corporation were promised the Federal Farm Bureau tonight as Chairman Legge and Carl Williams, members representing cotton, left for conferences in Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

Speaking for the growers' subcommittee on charter and by-laws, Williams said counsel has completed legal phases of the draft.

Promise of early developments in the Farmers' National Grain Corporation was given by William G. Kellogg of Minneapolis, newly selected general manager. Prior to leaving for Chicago to assume office Wednesday, Kellogg said his first step will be to acquire necessary physical facilities and personnel to handle the 1930 crop.

KELLOGG SALARY $36,000

Kellogg came to the corporation directly from a Minneapolis grain company. He has had twenty-five year's experience in buying and selling grain. His salary is to be $36,000 a year—the highest paid of any officer of the national corporation.

Chairman Legge expressed satisfaction with the progress of both the cotton and grain corporations. With Williams, he is to confer with State officials and cotton authorities at Little Rock, Ark., January 2, next, concerning the co-operative marketing of cotton and participation in activities of the new cotton corporation.

Except for adjustments in some regions, Chairman Legge said the grain corporation is well on the way toward national fusion of local co-operative associations. He said he does not expect any serious lack of harmony with independent grain dealers.

OPTIMISTIC VIEW

The corporation will function the same as a wholesale grain merchant, he said, buying and selling whenever it sees an opportunity for profit. It will establish physical facilities and personnel in every terminal market of the world to buy, grade, clean, mix and sell grain for its members.

An optimistic view of the economic situation of agriculture was given by Legge tonight after a visit with President Hoover. While cautioning against anyone believing that the farmer is "rolling in wealth," he said agriculture is in a more profitable situation than ever before and the future is bright.

"The farmer is at least finding a market for his products," he said, "even though prices are not fabulously high."

Kellogg said that while about 40 per cent of the total wheat crop originates as a co-operative product either in country pools or elevators, only about 2 per cent actually goes into terminal markets under co-operative control. The business of the corporation, he said, will be to carry the entire output into consumer channels on a co-operative basis.

AMERICA TO HIT FRENCH CAR DUTIES

Proposed Increases Will be Opposed as Unfair and as Economic Mistake

PARIS, Dec. 30. (AP)—The American Embassy is expected to make representations to the Foreign Office shortly against proposed increased duties on automobiles and parts which probably will curtail all of the American automobile business in France.

The government itself introduced the bill raising the duties on parts by changing from an ad valorem to a weight basis and it is known that preparations are being made for another bill radically raising the duty on complete cars by the same method.

The American Embassy is preparing data in an effort to show that this would have an adverse effect by throwing out of work many of the 6000 French employed by American concerns and by adding expense to many French importers of Paris.

The Ford company, it is believed, would be the principal sufferer under the new duties, as it makes the bulk of American cars sold here. Ford now is the fourth largest producer in France, averaging 1500 cars a month. The Ford company instituted the policy of making some of its parts in France but this affects only about one-fifth of its parts and the new duties, which are expected to be adopted within a few weeks, to hold the Ford competition in check.

Chinese Post Bribe Schedule for Mutineers

HANKOW (China) Dec. 30. (AP)—Reliable dispatches from North Honan Province today indicated that mutineers against the Nationalist government were continuing their activities on a broad scale under Gen. Tang Seng-Chi, former Nationalist general.

Tang rebelled against the government in conjunction with Gen. Shih Yu-San, who led the Pukow division in mutiny.

Nationalist forces, after several weeks' campaigning, have not accomplished the defeat of these rebels. The government's military headquarters here announced it would give a reward of 50,000 Mexican dollars ($25,000 gold) for Tang Seng-Chi and from 20 to 2000 Mexican dollars for the various grades of Tang's soldiers and officers joining the Nationalist ranks.

Federal Agent Wounded in Raid Held Blameless

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—After completing an investigation of the shooting of Agent Robert Freeman during a liquor raid at Yountville yesterday, Prohibition Administrator William G. Walker said today Agents Freeman and Henry Jones were "absolutely not at fault."

Walker said Agent Jones will swear to both State and Federal charges against John South, Napa county rancher, and his wife, whose home the agents were raiding. On the first they will be charged with attempt to commit murder and on the second with resisting and interfering with Federal officers.

Freeman is in a serious condition in a Napa hospital. He was shot twice. The Souths are in the County Jail.

DOMINICAN PRESIDENT STARTS HOME TODAY

BALTIMORE, Dec. 30. (AP)—Gen. Horacio Vasquez, president of the Dominican republic, will be able to leave Johns Hopkins Hospital tomorrow to start home, it was reported today. He walked about his room Saturday for the first time since an operation the 10th inst. Improvement in the health of Senora Vasquez also is reported.

American Held in Ship Fight

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 30. (AP)—A desperate fight aboard the oil tanker, the Royal Arrow, was described in Police Court here today when George Ronald McLaughlin, American steward on the ship, was arraigned on charges of stabbing Joseph Coyne, first assistant engineer, who also is an American.

McLaughlin was remanded for trial. He has appealed to the American Consul for assistance.

China to Free Russians Today

TOKIO, Dec 30. (AP)—Three thousand Russians will be released tomorrow after five months' detention at Harbin, Manchuria, said a dispatch today from that city to the Rengo News Agency.

The soviet nationals were imprisoned when the Chinese authorities seized the Chinese Eastern Railway, by which the Russians were employed. They were accused of disseminating propaganda against the Nationalist government.

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... of the casualties were on ... The fatalities reported were ... England and France, but several ... were injured in cities of ... Germany.

...ERS ELECT STEINFELD

...ON (Ariz.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Al... Steinfeld of Tucson was elect... president of the Arizona Pioneer ... society here today when ... of the society gathered ... annual meeting.

PROSPECTIVE PA-IN-LAW HUNTING FOR DIX FILM

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 30. (AP)—Matt G. Glass has never seen Richard Dix, the film actor, but yesterday he made a hurried round of Kansas City's films to see if any were showing the star in action.

Glass had a good reason for wanting to see what Dix looked like, for he had just read a newspaper account of the reported engagement of the actor to his daughter, Maxine, 21-year-old University of Southern California co-ed. Glass failed to find any shows starring his prospective son-in-law but he intends to see one at the first opportunity.

Glass has not seen his daughter for ten years. He and his wife were divorced twelve years ago in Topeka, Kan.

The engagement of the actor and the university student was reported Saturday at Long Beach, Cal., after Miss Glass had displayed a diamond on her engagement finger which she said was given her by Dix. Friends of the girl say the couple will be married within three months.

GERMAN AUTO MAKER DIES

STUTTGART (Germany) Dec. 30. (AP)—Wilhelm Maybach, 84 years of age, one of the leading German automobile manufacturers and widely known for his developments in the automobile field, died today. Mr. Maybach produced the Mercedes car.

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REVOLT PLANS KNOWN WEEKS

Letters Reveal Mexico Had Pre-election Tips

NOGALES (Ariz.) Dec. 30. (AP)—That plans for a revolution in Mexico prior to the November 17 elections were known to the Mexican government and to Gen. Francisco Manzo, one of the leaders in the revolt of last spring, and that Gen. Manzo had written friends here warning them not to participate in it, was revealed today by Gen. Juan Felipe Rico, military commander of Nogales, Son., who has come into possession of one of the letters.

NOGALES DOCTOR NAMED

PHOENIX, Dec. 30. (AP)—Dr. A. L. Gustetter of Nogales today was appointed a member of the State Medical Board by Gov. Phillips, succeeding Dr. J. M. Greer, Phoenix, whose term has expired.

STAR RUNNER SETS NEW SECRET-WEDDING RECORD

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Ray Barbuti, star Olympic 440-meter running champion, and Miss Maryon Silvia Hicks, sister of Helen Hicks, star golfer, have been married for more than nine months without the knowledge even of close friends.

The information came out today when the Olympic hero revealed that the wedding took place March 24 at the Episcopal Church in Great Neck and that he and Mrs. Barbuti now are residing in Kew Gardens in Long Island.

Barbuti, who starred in football and track at Syracuse, as well as winning America's only flat-race victory, now is in the insurance business in New York.

PASADENA WOMAN GETS RENO DIVORCE

RENO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Vere D. MacMillan was granted a divorce here today from Clifford J. MacMillan, San Francisco, on the grounds of desertion. They were married at Pasadena June 22, 1920. There are no children. A property settlement was made out of court.

TWO SOUTH CAROLINA BANKS FAIL TO OPEN

SPARTANBURG (S. C.) Dec. 30. (AP)—The Carolina National Bank and the Dollar Savings Bank here failed to open today. Notices posted on the doors of both institutions said their affairs are in the hands of the State Bank examiner "by order of the board of directors." The Dollar Savings Bank is a subsidiary of the Carolina National.

KING OF ALBANIA REPORTED DYING

Surgeons Rushed by Air in Effort to Save Zog

VIENNA, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—King Zog of Albania, who repeated the Napoleonic feat of seizing supreme power while President of a republic two years ago, is dangerously ill.

While the Albanian legation at Vienna, after calling up two famous surgeons and rushing them by airplane to Tirana, still tried to minimize the seriousness of the King's condition, it has leaked out that there is little hope to save him.

FORMER CORONER DIES

STOCKTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Charles C. Burgen, former Coroner of Tuolumne county, was found dead in bed this morning at his home in Sonora. Death was caused by hemorrhage.

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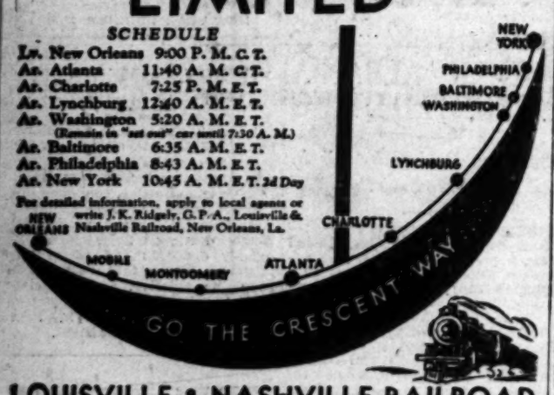

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Antarctic Party Watches Heat Play Pranks With Ice

Seals Take Up Abode in Newly Formed Pools

Explorers Long for Sight of Ships from Home

BY RUSSELL OWEN

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LITTLE AMERICA (Antarctica) Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—The bay ice is beginning to roll up on the eastern side and break into lagoons of water in which the seals play. The last two weeks have been unusually warm and for three days now we have had hours when the sky overhead is clear and the sun shines down with midsummer warmth. Men wander around in the snow without caps or gloves, wearing glasses to protect their eyes from the bright light. They sit on boxes basking in the sun sleepily in odd corners for on what happens to the can be seen stretched on an engine crate, drowsing in the grateful warmth.

This heat has played all sorts of pranks with the ice. The high-pressure ridges have toppled over and great sheets of ice ten feet thick have slid over the top of adjoining cakes on the other side of the pressure line. The waves of pressure, like frozen waves of the sea, wide and symmetrical making perfect arches, have risen higher and higher until in walking on them one goes up a hill ten feet high and descends into an equally deep hollow on the other side, the bottom of which may be beneath the water level.

ELASTICITY GREAT

The elasticity of this ice is astonishing. Ten feet thick it will bend in an arc that makes a perfect semicircle before it fractures. The tops of the waves are unbroken and smooth until one day the press became too great, the lower sides were pushed in and the arcs cracked open at the top. The process takes place also at the bottom of the waves and when they break water rushes up through bringing with it masses of smashed ice which floats to one end and leaves an open lagoon of clear still water in which seals float lazily paying little attention to the curious ones who stroll from camp to and beside the pool and watch them.

There is one of these large pools just outside of the inlet, a little more than half a mile from camp and others along the edge of the cape at the entrance to the inlet. The whole mass of pressure ice laying off the inlet cape is smashed and filled with holes full of water. North of the inlet cape along the eastern side of the barrier all the way out to the open sea at the mouth of the bay the pressure is forced up to tremendous heights and so that these pools of water lie between it and the barriers. There also is a large crack which runs across the bay not far from camp.

WATCHED WITH INTEREST

All these signs of breaking up have been watched with great interest for on what happens to the bay depends in large measure the method of loading the ship. The ice sometimes does not go out. If it stays as it is now it will be a tremendous task to get the planes aboard.

And, although there has been all this breaking on the eastern side of the bay, the central part and the western side are as smooth and unbroken as during the winter. Just why the pressure all is toward the side and apparently is more subject to influence of current and tide, is one of the many puzzling things about the Bay of Whales, and although there have been as many theories propounded as there are men in camp, there is no assurance which, if any, of them is correct. Far out on the edge of the bay, eight miles north of camp, a huge iceberg has drifted in on the eastern side of the bay.

It towers nearly 150 feet in the air, much higher than the barrier, and must have come from some point where the barrier rises to a point higher than we have ever seen it. It has rested there for days held by the current, glistening white in the summer sun. Between it and the barrier is a calm expanse of open water where the whales blow as they roll, penguins chatter along the edge and seals bask there, lifting a lazy head from the ice as a killer whale, one of their most dangerous enemies, comes near by and blows, or lifts itself half out of the water to look over the edge of the ice. The seals seem to know that the ice still is thick enough for them to be safe, and they are too fat and contented to move.

WHEN SHIPS COME IN

This late heavy ice, however, is having a serious bearing on the problem of getting out and starting home. Apparently it is just as difficult to leave the barrier at times as it is to reach it because of the ice pack to the north which this year is unusually wide and thick. The whalers have reported that it is the heaviest pack they have seen in many years and it is more than 150 miles wider than it was last year. Then it stretched across our path from Latitude 63 to Latitude 72, 250 miles of almost solid pack. But this year it reaches from Latitude 67 to Latitude 74, three degrees farther, or 400 miles of pack to be penetrated. So heavy was the ice that one of the first whalers to go through lost a chaser in the crush.

This condition is delaying the start of our ships from New Zealand for it was hoped that they would have been on their way long before this. It is probable that the City of New York will start in a few days and sail to the pack to save coal, and that the Bolling, which is a steel ship, will follow her some days later.

They will meet at the edge of the ice and come through together for mutual safety and it is hoped that by the time they reach there the pack will have been broken up sufficiently so that they will be able to get through in a reasonably short time and with safety. Most ships have been able to get through fairly easily after the middle of January. At least we hope so, for with the job done everybody wants to get home and it still seems a long way off. It will be a great day when a masthead appears down the bay.

ANTARCTIC HAS TRAGEDY

Loss of Seaplane With Two Men from Whaling Ship Saddens Coming of Byrd Party Neighbors

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LITTLE AMERICA (Antarctica) Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Another tragedy has been written on the ice-strewn sea of the Antarctic. An airplane used in scouting for whales by the whaler Kosmos with a crew of two aboard vanished near the edge of the ice pack and despite a search since Christmas Day not a trace of it can be found.

It was flown by Leif Lier, a well-known pilot in Norway, who had with him as passenger, Dr. Ingvald Schreiner, ship's doctor and the son of a prominent physician in Oslo, Norway.

The search for the missing men is being continued by the Kosmos, although after five days of desperate effort in which the entire ice pack was penetrated deeply between Scott Island and the Balleny Islands there exists little hope that they will be found. What happened to them must have come so suddenly that Lier had no opportunity to make a landing on the ice or in a sheltered ice bay.

The loss of the two young men, both of whom were popular on the ship and at home, spoiled the Christmas season for the whalers and they are all saddened by the accident which they could not avert and which they have tried so hard to overcome by rescue operations.

The Kosmos, which is commanded by Capt. Andreasen, is the largest of the Norwegian whalers, a 22,000-ton ship, and was built especially for this work. It is really a floating factory for the rendering of blubber from the whales brought alongside by the small chasers.

It had been thought in recent years that an airplane would be of value in spotting whales and Admiral Byrd's expedition coming through last year apparently did much to hasten the experiment. A light two-seater airplane, a Gypsy Moth, with a 100-horsepower Cyrrus engine, was fitted with pontoons and Lief Lier was engaged as pilot.

TWO SHOT IN COAL MINE LIQUOR RAID

Deputy Sheriff Fired on by Constable and Each Receives Serious Wounds

COLUMBUS (Kan.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Two officers are in a hospital here today seriously wounded as the result of a gun fight which climaxed a liquor raid five miles north of Columbus at a coal mine last night.

Ora Folk, a deputy sheriff, was shot through the right shoulder and his head was grazed by another bullet. John Crawford, a constable of Springvalley Township, was shot through the right lung, and it is said he may not recover.

John Kretchet, Cherokee County Sheriff, said Henry Starrett, deputy sheriff, his son, Glen Starrett, a Federal prohibition officer, and Folk, went to the Bob Morton mine north of Columbus and detected the odor of whisky mash at the mine entrance.

While they were preparing to investigate an automobile drove up, the Sheriff said. Observing a man in the front seat of the car with gun in his hand the Sheriff's force disarmed him. Another man, later identified as Constable Crawford, left the car and began shooting, while the deputy sheriffs returned the fire, it was said.

During the melee the man who had been disarmed escaped.

Local Convict Caught in East

ATLANTA, Dec. 30. (AP) — Four men were given jail sentences today on one charge while officials investigated reports that they are members of an automobile theft gang asserted to be headed by Dwight L. Mowry, escaped Los Angeles county prisoner.

Mowry, who is held under Federal warrants charging him with violation of the national auto-theft and postal laws, told officers that he escaped from a Los Angeles county road gang while serving two years for breaking and entering.

The asserted pals of Mowry, who were given ten-day jail sentences, are George F. McAllister, H. G. Metcalf, George Byrne and Joe Gordon. They were convicted in Municipal Court of operating an advertising agency without a license.

HUNGER MAY HINDER HUNT FOR EIELSON

Waning of Provisions on Ice-Locked Ship Used as Flyers' Base Indicated

NOME, Dec. 30. (AP)—Waning food provisions on the ice-locked fur-trading ship Nanuk today gave pilots who have been patiently waiting a break in the weather to search for the missing flyers, Carl Ben Eielson and Earl Borland, a second reason for reaching North Cape, Siberia, on the Arctic Ocean as soon as possible.

Ten men and a 17-year-old girl, Marion Swenson, daughter of the captain and owner of the Seattle ship, Olaf Swenson, who is himself aboard, are marooned on the tiny vessel near North Cape.

Pilots Joe Crosson and Harold Gillam, who reached the Nanuk a few days ago to operate from there in the search for Eielson and Borland, radioed here today that the ship is out of ham, bacon, eggs and coffee and will run short of provisions soon. They are two of the ten men aboard the Nanuk.

Gas shortage on the ship has been relieved temporarily by supplies from the Russian ship Stavropol, locked in the ice near by.

RUSSIANS TO LEND AVIATORS GASOLINE

MOSCOW, Dec. 30. (AP)—The soviet government has granted permission to American flyers who are seeking to rescue Carl Eielson and Earl Borland, to use benzine from the soviet base on Cape North.

The permission was granted on condition that three barrels remain untouched and that the borrowed quantity be replaced before January 21.

HERON SEEKS WAY TO PAY LAW BODIES

Webb to be Consulted on Method for Overcoming Lack of Appropriations

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Determined to do anything possible to provide funds for fifteen legislative committees created by the 1929 Legislature, but left without appropriations through error, A. R. Heron, State Director of Finance, declared today that he will consult Atty.-Gen. Webb to ascertain what legal methods might right matters.

When the Legislature created its investigation committee to function between the 1927 and 1931 sessions it provided $160,000 appropriations for expenses incurred in the seventy-ninth and eightieth fiscal years and anticipated that the surplus would be used to pay bills of the committees to function during the eighty-first and eighty-second years.

But Webb has informed State Controller Riley that these moneys may be spent only during the seventy-ninth and eightieth years. Webb held that of $115,500 the committees were authorized to spend only $30,000. The sum of $15,000 has already been spent for contingent expenses of the Senate and Assembly.

PRINT-PAPER PRICES WILL REMAIN SAME

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—W. G. Chandler, chairman of the paper committee of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, today announced that the Canada Paper and Power Company and the Price Brothers Company are notifying their customers that the 1929 price for newsprint will be continued during the first six months of 1930 without the previous three-year contract requirements.

PAINTED LILY TO BE REALITY

Scientist Tells of New Dyes Available for Coloring Flowers to Suit Milady's Taste

DES MOINES, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Painting the lily, Shakespeare's idea of the acme of useless effort, is about to become a serious and profitable undertaking for florists. Dr. H. B. Harvey, of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station, told the American Association for the Advancement of Science today of the discovery of new dyes that can be used for the internal tinting of flowers, as one green dye has been used to a certain extent in making green carnations for St. Patrick's Day.

Blue, green, yellow and red dyes, and hues and tints made by combining them, soon will join Nature's own colors in beautifying milady's bouquet to match her hair, dresses, etc. The dyes are nonpoisonous and harmless.

BEES' VISUAL RANGE

To say keen as a bee's eye means something, now that Lloyd M. Berthoff of the United States Department of Agriculture bee culture laboratory has discovered that bees see where human beings cannot see at all. In the invisible ultra-violet somewhat beyond the last ray detectable by human eyes, the honey bee exhibits its best vision. Heretofore it has been thought that a blue light was the one most preferred by bees.

The discovery of aggregations of molecules within liquids, like crystals in solids, responsible for the resistance to flow possessed by liquids, was announced to the American Physical Society by Prof. G. W. Stewart of the University of Iowa. Heretofore it has been thought that each molecule was free to do what it liked in a liquid,

Facts and figures that prove Los Angeles is the capital of the air are given in the Midwinter Number of The Times, out January 2.

CHINA'S DECREE HINTS GESTURE

Washington Calm on Note to End Extraterritoriality

Observers Indicate Powers Can Block Enforcement

Newly Appointed Minister in Parley With Hoover

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—The State Department today received the text of the Chinese decree abolishing foreign extraterratorial rights on January 1. The attitude in official circles is that if the interested foreign powers unite in opposition, little can be done by the Chinese to enforce the decree.

The effect of enforcement of the decree would be to take from approximately 100 foreign consular courts in China the hearings of cases concerning foreigners in that country with extraterritorial privileges.

A statement by C. T. Wang, Foreign Minister of the Nanking government, indicating that the Chinese are willing to discuss the plan, is taken here tonight to point to an inclination to proceed without undue haste.

The text of the mandate was received from the American Legation in Peiping after having been communicated to Howard Bucknell, Jr., official of the legation at Nanking, by Minister Wang. A personal note from the Minister to Bucknell accompanied the text.

Nelson D. Johnson, former assistant Secretary of State in charge of far-eastern affairs, and newly appointed Minister to China, conferred today with President Hoover but their topics were not divulged.

The new Minister has been carrying on conversations with Minister Wu of China regarding relinquishment of the American rights. Undersecretary Cotton, in the absence of Secretary Stimson, indicated today that it is the policy of the Washington government to carry on these conversations with a view to possible future relinquishment of the extraterratorial privileges.

American officials were particularly emphatic, however, in reiterating that the American government does not approve of any immediate relinquishment of the rights, either under a decree of abolition by the Chinese or by voluntary action of Washington.

BRITISH SAY NOTE MERELY INDICATION

LONDON, Dec. 30. (AP)—British official circles consider the Chinese action in announcing the abolition of extraterritoriality beginning next year as more of a gesture to keep in line with Chinese opinion than anything else.

The view was expressed that actual abolition will have to be carried out as was indicated in the British note to China last August, which will be a slow and gradual process.

The Associated Press was informed that the Chinese government has not yet denounced the extraterritorial clauses of its treaty with the British government nor has it made any further communications to the British government on this subject.

It was stated that the British government had made clear in its August note that Great Britain accepted the principle of abolition and that a gradual process of removal of the extraterritorial privileges of British subjects in China should be considered as beginning from January 1, 1930.

CHINA WILL GIVE POWERS MORE TIME

NANKING, Dec. 30. (AP) — The Nationalist government's Foreign Office indicated tonight that it had dispatched identical telegrams to Chinese ministers accredited to the various powers enjoying extraterritorial rights in China instructing the ministers to "notify the respective governments of the Nationalist government's mandate terminating extraterritoriality."

C. T. Wang, Nationalist Foreign Minister, in a statement today said that the process of abolishing extraterritoriality will begin on January 1, but that China was "prepared to consider and discuss within reasonable time representations made with reference to the plan under preparation at Nanking."

The "oreign Minister said:

"Extraterritoriality is not an ordinary diplomatic problem. It touches the life of the Chinese in so many intimate ways that it must be considered by the Chinese government a domestic question of immediate moment. For this reason the government is compelled to declare that the actual process of re-establishing Chinese sovereignty by the abolition of extraterritoriality begins January 1.

"Relying on the sympathy already shown and the assurances given by the powers concerned, the Chinese government believes that there is no difference of opinion between the powers and China regarding the principle involved and is prepared to consider and discuss within reasonable time representations made with reference to the plan under preparation at Nanking.

"The promulgation of the mandate for the abolition of extraterritoriality should be regarded as a step toward removing a cause of constant conflict and at the same time of promoting the relations between Chinese and foreigners."

FOUNDATION COMMENDED

CHAPEL HILL (N. C.) Dec. 30. (AP)—The American Association of University Professors today adopted a resolution commending the Carnegie Foundation for its report on college athletics, but did not indorse the findings and recommendations in the report.

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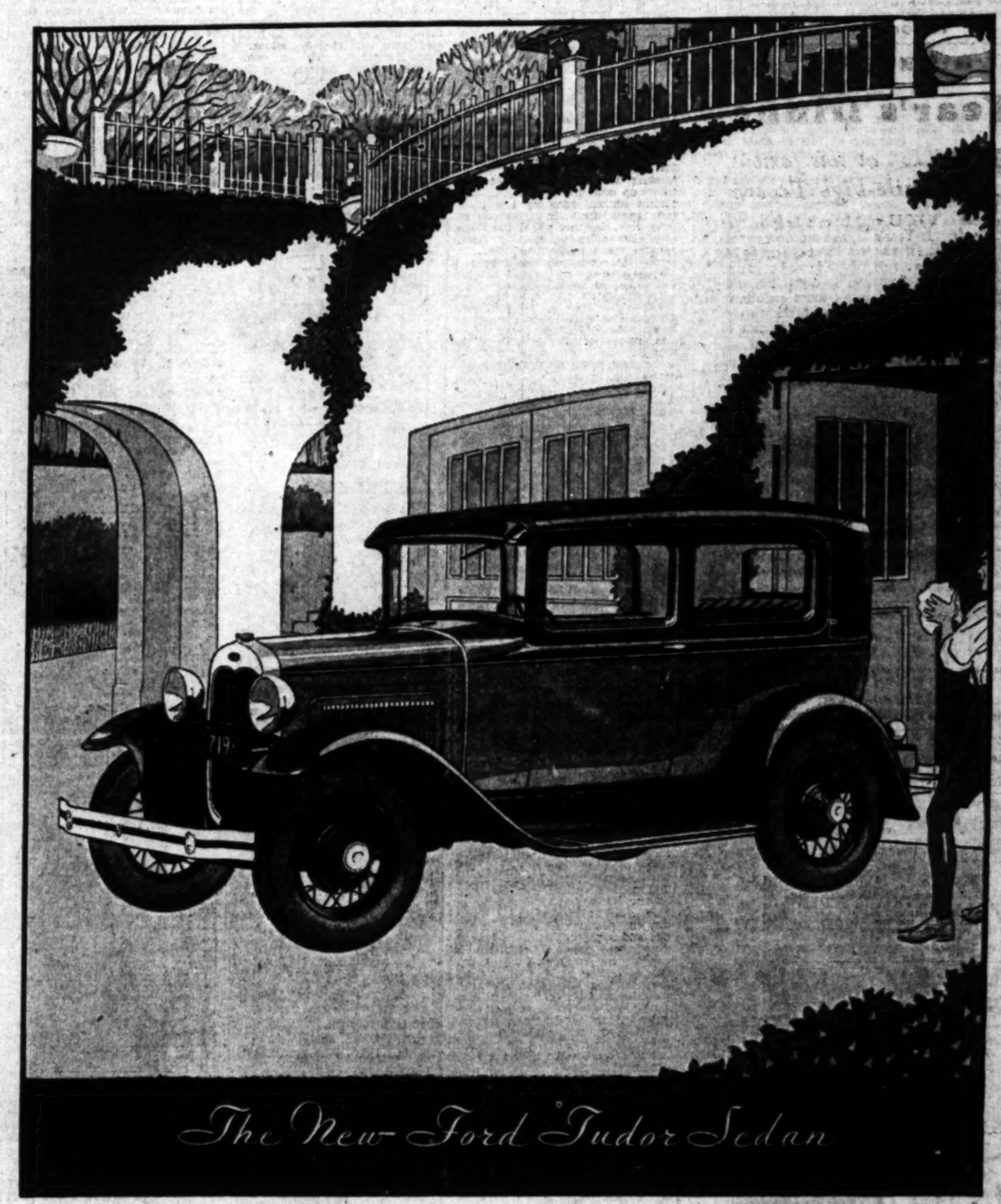

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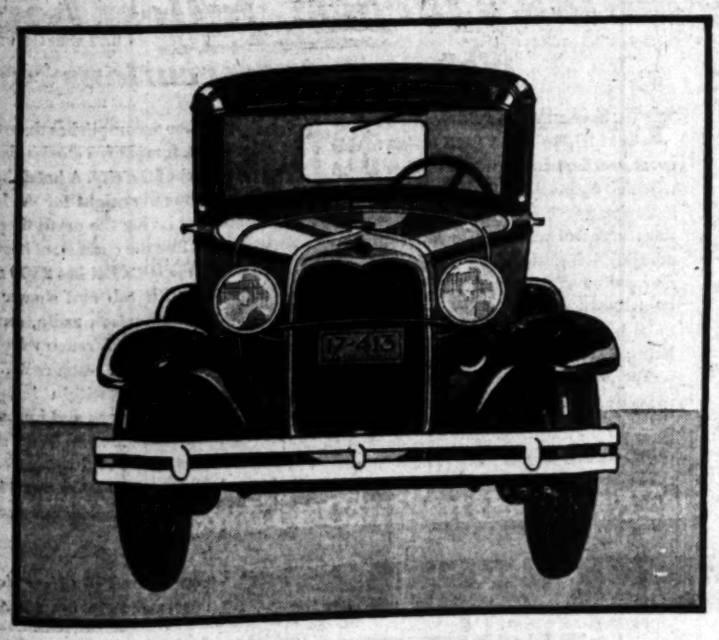

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CHIEF'S KILLING STIRS SAMOANS

Idol of South Sea Islanders Slain by British

Trouble Expected to Follow Saturday's Battle

Angeleno Friend of Victim Describes Situation

PAGO PAGO (American Samoa) Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—The situation in Apia, British Samoa, following Saturday's battle between the New Zealand mandate government police and native members of the Mau (Native League of Samoa) may become more serious, since firing upon natives with machine guns has aroused the entire population of Upolu Island. Nine were killed, including High Chief Tamasese, opposition leader, and a white constable. Other casualties exceeded thirty.

Trouble has been brewing for several years. The riots occurred when natives barred police from a village because they sought to arrest several who had refused to pay taxes.

Already a movement is afoot to gain consent of New Zealand for withdrawal of the mandate and to petition America to consolidate the British colony with Eastern Samoa, which was recently visited by natives of Upolu, who applauded the government maintained in Pago Pago.

The situation became acute when the natives broke loose Saturday on the return of Alfred G. Smyth, retired merchant, who had been exiled to New Zealand for two years, and A. Skelton, who had been sent to New Zealand as Consul to beg that government to treat the natives as equals instead of subjects. They arrived at Pago Pago on the 27th inst., from Auckland, and held a conference with local Samoans. They left Pago Pago Friday night, arriving at Apia Saturday morning, when the populace turned out to acclaim them, headed by High Chief Tamasese. The police tried to stop the reception and as it became riotous turned machine guns on the mob.

From the start the Samoans have objected to the British mandate, which they declared was designed for backward races. They were willing to be considered a crown colony obeying King George, but considered that New Zealand, though a British colony, actually conducted its own affairs. Upon the refusal of a similar status they visited Pago Pago to consult with natives of Tutuila regarding an effort to dismiss the mandate and seek American rule.

ACQUAINTANCE TELLS OF CHIEF TAMASESE

Probable serious uprisings in British Samoa are seen by Betty Ross Clarke, Los Angeles stage and screen actress, as the result of the killing of High Chief Tamasese. Miss Ross, who recently returned to this country from a tour of Australia and the South Sea Islands, was personally acquainted with the chief, having met him aboard the steamer Sierra, as Tamasese was returning from a prison sentence in Australia, where he was sent for refusing to pay taxes.

The group of islands over which Tamasese was high chief were German possessions before the World War and at its close were put under the protection of New Zealand. There has been unrest among the natives ever since, as they assert arbitrary laws have been made and their taxes are too heavy.

The chief source of income among the Samoans is cocoanut growing or copra producing and a ruling by the New Zealand Governor that they must cut down all cocoanut trees growing within a certain number of feet of their dwellings was their chief cause of discontent.

Two years ago two white tax collectors were killed. Many of the poorer Samoans were unable to meet their taxes and High Chief Tamasese, himself a rich man, as a protest, refused to pay his taxes and was sent to prison in New Zealand for six months. After his imprisonment he returned to Apia a great national hero. Many natives rowed their picturesque craft eighty miles to greet him, Miss Ross said, and they covered him and his family with flowers and presents when he alighted from the liner Sierra at Pago Pago.

With him on the Sierra were his wife, four children and two nurse maids. He was 29 years of age, spoke excellent English, and was a splendid physical specimen, standing nearly 7 feet tall. Miss Ross said Tamasese attracted the attention of his fellow-passengers by his kindly and gentle attentions to his Samoan wife. To the Samoans his killing will mean almost as much as the shooting of Lincoln did to the United States, she declared.

VICTIM OF PROTEST ON BRITISH METHOD

High Chief Tamasese
This picture was taken by Betty Ross Clark of Los Angeles, who interviewed the chief on a recent visit to the South Seas.

HOOVER KEEPS ALOOF IN ROW

Prohibition Rumpus Leaves White House Serene

Course Following Move by Congress Announced

Borah Leter Received and Statements Continue

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Prohibition, which has turned Washington holiday season into days of sizzling charges about the administration of the dry law, apparently has failed to disturb the traditional calm of the White House.

Ears which were attuned to expected utterances by President Hoover in reply, mainly to the assaults on present enforcement methods and personnel by Senator Borah of Idaho, and the accompanying or following flareups from wet or dry leaders, heard only that the first official move there in the controversy will come after the House has approved a resolution for a joint committee to study consolidation of dry law enforcement agencies. Then the White House will transmit to it recommendations prepared by the law enforcement commission.

LETTER FROM BORAH

It was said at the White House, however, that the President today received a letter from Senator Borah.

This letter is understood to follow up the public condemnation made on Saturday by the Idaho dry champion with suggestions for remedies. Neither the White House nor the office of Senator Borah would make public the letter.

Senator Jones of Washington, a Republican dry spokesman who has appealed for united support of the Hoover administration by the drys, called on the law enforcement commission and, after a two-hour visit announced he will have something to say later in the week.

ANOTHER STATEMENT

Representative Schafer, Republican, Wisconsin, joined in the day's statement making with the expression that "The recent whines and wails of the dry leaders are comparable to rats leaving a sinking ship." He said the drys "are attempting to open up an avenue of escape from their untenable position by attacking those charged with enforcing the Federal prohibition laws."

This was countered by a statement by Representative Kelly, Republican, Pennsylvania, appealing for support of President Hoover and declaring the ten years of prohibition have proved "the determination of the people as a whole to retain the Eighteenth Amendment and to bring about its enforcement."

He said the "task now confronting us is to follow the leadership of a President who recognizes his responsibilities and who has challenged all Americans to assist him."

LIGHT-WINES PLEA

Representative Cochrane, Democrat, Missouri, issued a statement advocating "a dignified effort" by the wet bloc of Congress for modification of the Volstead Act to permit the manufacture of beer and light wines "not intoxicating in fact."

Representative Cochran urged light wines and beer as a farm-relief proposition. He said, "This would mean nearly $1,000 000,000 in taxes to the government, money now going into the pockets of the bootlegger."

"The farmers again would have a market for their cereals," he argued, "and there would be no surplus."

Bay City Water Warning Issued

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Warning to citizens that water must be conserved was issued today by City Engineer O'Shaughnessy and Chief Engineer Elliott of the Spring Valley Water Company. They said the water now stored in the Spring Valley reservoirs is 9,000,000,000 gallons and unless there is a heavy rainfall will last only 180 days.

CARD SHOWS HOW TIME DOES FLY

But Then Christmas Greeting Was Seventeen Years in Reaching Destination

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—It was December 20, Mrs. Frank Barthen in Denver sent a Christmas card for her infant son Frank, to his aunt, Miss Loretta Barthen in Chicago.

On the 24th inst. the card was delivered. In the interim the aunt had married: Mrs. Frank Barthen had moved to Berkeley, Cal., and little Frankie, the infant son, had celebrated his seventeenth birthday.

That was on December 24, 1929. The card was mailed December 20, 1912.

FIVE-YEAR FIGHT FINALLY AT END

McClintock Heirs Agree on Disposition of Estate

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—The sanction of Judge Sullivan of the Circuit Court was given today to an agreement among the heirs sharing the $1,500,000 estate of William Nelson McClintock, and an end was written to the five-year dispute that began with the death of the "millionaire orphan" December 4, 1924.

The bulk of the estate goes to William Darling Shepherd, foster father of the youth, and to Mrs. Isabelle Pope Veeder, McClintock's fiancee at the time of his death. Shepherd, acquitted by a jury of a charge that he murdered his ward by administering typhoid germs, receives upwards of $425 000 under the terms agreed on by the contesting heirs. Mrs. Veeder receives $350,000 and $35,000 each will be distributed among the cousins of McClintock.

McClintock's will, invalidated by the agreement, had made Shepherd sole heir to the fortune with the exception of an $8000 annuity stipulated for the girl who then was Miss Pope. The latter contested the will, charging that Shepherd had prevented her marriage to McClintock at his death-bed, and the several cousins also sued for a share.

The cousins are Luella Yokum of Buffalo, Mrs. Winnie Kerstens, Archie Eaton, Charles Eaton, Ira P. Eaton, William J. Eaton and Maude Eaton Walker of Ottumwa, Iowa; William Eaton and Bertram McClintock Eaton of Santee, Cal., and the latter's wife, Mrs. Viola Eaton of Dallas, Tex.

BUNS ON NEW HAIR MENU

Also French Rolls and Other Kinds of Curls Coming Back, Paris Coiffeurs Declare

PARIS, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Curls, buns, French roll and even chignons, are coming back.

This is the dictum of Parisian coiffeurs today after an animated session of their congress at which the trend of hirsute fashion is agreed upon every two or three months.

No matter how fine a head, Madame, to be really smart, must befuddle it with all manners of little jiggers, the hairdressers decided. And it is well known that their decisions are based on what the leaders in feminine fashion in the capital already have started doing.

Long hair really never has come back to France as the American and new mode encourage. The French women believe that it is impossible to achieve smart effects in "chapeaux" with a great mass of hair to cover.

The new effects call for tiny chignons at the sides and ringlets at the nape of the neck. The ears are due for an eclipse, it appears. The old-fashioned coils that looked so much like telephone receivers, but which actually impeded hearing, are never coming back, the Parisian coiffeurs say. But they advise that the ears be partly covered by loose and lightly disarranged masses of hair.

The coxcomb effect with curls at the back of the head is very much in vogue. Like the ears, high and unadorned foreheads are going out, too. The French claim that only blonds with classic profiles look well this way. So a little row of tiny and loose curls, not spit curls, are good. Ringlets at the nape of the neck will do away with the bothersome business of having the neck shaved.

Evening wear, with false chignons and whatnots, is coming in, as are also loose and supple effects which the absence of tight-fitting hats make possible. Hat styles are bound to follow the new trend, the hair dressing experts predict, and the skull cap and cloches have got to do.

NEW YORK BANKER DIES

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Richard Thornton Wilson, banker, prominent on the turf, died of bronchial-pneumonia at his home here yesterday. He was 62 years of age.

STATE GUARDS RATE SEVENTH

Ohio and Texas Enroll More Men Than California

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30. The California National Guard is seventh in strength in the United States a report received today by Adjt.-Gen. H. E. Mitchell and the Chief of Militia at Washington indicates. California has 350 officers and men in its National Guard.

The States leading California are New York, 20,354; Pennsylvania, 14,614; Massachusetts, 9279; Ohio, 8028, and Texas, 7316.

Federal funds expended on the California National Guard in the last fiscal year was $1,000,000 and the State appropriation was 903. The total cost per year is $2316, of which $1161 was furnished by the Federal government and $1124.80 by the State.

The cost of maintaining the California National Guard was $9 per guardsman, the report showing that it prepared with $140 in New York, $97.80 in Pennsylvania, $97.80 in Ohio and $98.30 in Massachusetts.

Gen. Mitchell explained the difference in these figures is largely to the fact that some States pay their officers and enlisted men while in attendance in camps and in some cases, for attendance at armory drills.

The total strength of the National Guard in the United States is estimated at 178,982.

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Federal funds expended on the California National Guard during the last fiscal year was $939,[illegible] and the State appropriation $393,[illegible]. The total cost per man was $[illegible], of which $161 was furnished by the Federal government and $[illegible] by the State.

The cost of maintaining the California National Guard was $40 per guardsman, the report showed, compared with $140 in New York, $80 in Pennsylvania, $97.00 in Illinois, $134.89 in Ohio and $93.33 in Massachusetts.

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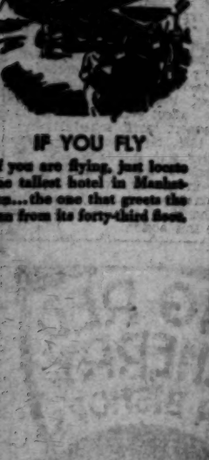

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...Changes to be Made on February 1

...on Cigarettes May Reach 65 Per Cent

...Goods Also to Get Heavy Increase

...ING, Dec. 30. (AP)—The Cen... Daily News, local organ of the ... government, today said ... Ministry of Finance is planning ... changes on February 1 numer... ...ases in China's present im... ...duty schedule, whose first year ... ...on closes January 31.

...newspaper stated that al... ...official announcements were ... it was expected that the ... would constitute a general ... revision from the present ... The present tariff act ... inaugurated was termed by ... ...alist government as "tem... ...experimental and effective ... ...year, when a more thor... ...considered schedule becomes ...

...Under the proposed new rates ... kept secret, said the Cen... Daily News, it is anticipated ... imports, which dur... ...past year have been sub... ...to a maximum levy of 50 per ... ...will be taxed to a maximum of ... ...cent under the new sched...

...The anticipated rates include ... ...glass goods, 15 per cent, an ... ...of 35 per cent, and knitted ... ...of 65 per cent, as against 15 per ... ...cent.

...The newspaper said a host of oth... ...reports were due for increased ... ...duty, such a schedule if executed ... ...expected to result in further in... ...in the cost of living and in ... ...expenses in China, which ... ...a sharp upward trend ... ...last year, especially among ... ...using imported products. ... ...group includes the foreigners. ... ...government, continued the ... ...report, originally planned to ... ...into effect generally the in... ...export tariff schedule Jan... ...1, 1930, but owing to wide... ...civil war, banditry and un... ...political during 1929, which ... ...had in an unfavorable effect ... ...China's business, it is believed ... ...authorities have decided to ... ...upon this action.

SHE LEADS DRESS REFORM IN TURKEY

Sakhy Hanoum

ISHTABUL, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Realising that Turkish women are not different from their western sisters, government officials have called Miss Sakhy Hanoum, popular Turkish beauty, to aid them in getting women of the country to exchange their traditional dress for the more modern frocks. The majority of women over here have refused to don the modern dress, despite governmental decree. So officials, instead of endeavoring to force them to it, have decided on a so-called campaign of education and have nominated Miss Sakhy Hanoum to direct the crusade.

Knights Receive Pope's Blessing

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Dec. 30. (AP)—An apostolic benediction for Knights of Columbus in the United States, Canada, Mexico, Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines is contained in a cablegram received today by Martin H. Carmody, Supreme Knight, from Cardinal Gasparri, secretary of State for the Vatican.

The cable was in answer to one from Supreme Knight Carmody in which he extended in behalf of the Knights of Columbus felicitations to Pope Pius XI on his completion of fifty years in the priesthood and on the many consolations that have come to His Holiness during the jubilee year.

Elevator Fire Costs Million

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Four men were injured severely and several others were burned during a fire which swept through a grain elevator of Albert Schwill & Co., manufacturers of malt products, in South Chicago today, at a loss estimated between $1,000,000 and $1,500,000.

About 700,000 bushels of various grains were stored in the elevator. The grain was virtually all destroyed.

An elevator of the Advance Milling Company, near by, caught fire, but the flames were brought under control before serious damage was done.

Impatient Pair to Wed in Reno

OAKLAND, Dec. 30. (AP)—George Clayton Ericson, 20 years of age, and Octavia Vera Jones, 18, both of Los Angeles, arrived here today with full intentions of being a married couple by the start of 1930.

When they took out their intention to wed, however, they found they could not receive their license until January 2, next. As a result, tomorrow they will leave for Reno, accompanied by the girl's mother, Mrs. M. A. Jones, and her sister, Vivian, 19, and they hope to be back here on New Year's Day as man and wife.

Swimmer Denies Report of Fight

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (Exclusive) In the office of her lawyer, Paul Evans Lockwood, Gertrude Ederle this afternoon vigorously denied the report current on Broadway to the effect that she had dug her finger nails into the handsome face of Durley Field Malone, widely known attorney.

Malone, who was Trudy's guardian ad litem when she conquered the English Channel, was reported by his secretary to be en route for London on the liner Columbus, but the secretary added a refutation to that of Miss Ederle.

Wales Prepares for African Trip

MELTON MOWBRAY (Eng.) Dec. 30. (AP)—The Prince of Wales took another run with the hounds today, this time with the famous Quorn pack.

It was his last hunt in England before leaving Friday on a resumption of his South African hunting trip interrupted a year ago by the illness of his father, King George.

The Prince plans to return to London tomorrow and to pay a round of farewell visits before sailing for Capetown Friday. He is not expected to return until spring.

MISSOURIAN KILLED; LEAVES SISTER HERE

BOLIVAR (Mo.) Dec. 30. (AP)—P. Okey Adams, vice-president of the Adams Mortgage Company of Bolivar, was found dead with a revolver wound through the heart at the Adams home here tonight. He was 45 years of age. Officials are undecided whether it is a case of suicide or accidental death. He leaves a sister, Mrs. A. C. Fisher of Los Angeles, and his father, P. W. Adams, president of the company, who is visiting in Los Angeles.

SACKETT CHOICE HELD WISE MOVE

G.O.P. Leaders Gratified by Hoover's Sagacity

Selection Clears Awkward Situation in State

President Aids Party While Preserving Own Ideals

BY LAURENCE M. BENEDICT
"Times" Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—The decision to send Senator Frederick M. Sackett of Kentucky abroad as Ambassador to Germany, taking him out of a muddled Republican situation in his State, is the third move made by the administration in recent weeks calculated to strengthen the G.O.P. in the border States in anticipation of the 1930 Congressional elections.

The others were the appointment of Patrick J. Hurley of Oklahoma as Secretary of War and the placing of Robert Jones of Tennessee on the Interstate Commerce Commission. Both these appointments gave much-sought recognition to the border country which went for Hoover last year and were pleasing to that section and, in a measure, to the entire South.

EXPECT MORE NOW

Observes now expect to see something done for North Carolina, Virginia, Florida and Texas in the way of being called upon to fill important Federal positions as future vacancies occur, for President Hoover quite obviously has embarked upon a policy of helping his party maintain its position in the South, in so far as possible, not only, in connection with national campaigns but the in-between Congressional contests as well. Chairman Huston of the Republican National Committee and other party leaders in and out of Congress are enthusiastic over the President's willingness to help them prepare for the Congressional fights next year.

Mr. Hoover for nearly eight months resisted all the pressure southern Republican leaders could bring to bear on him for the making of political appointments and up to the elevation of Mr. Hurley from assistant Secretary of War to the Cabinet portfolio and the naming of Mr. Jones to the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington had about become convinced that he did not intend to give any substantial recognition to the border and far southern States which aided his election.

FITNESS HIS TEST

But it was not that he was unmindful of the part the South played in his election. Rather, it was his determination to repel political suggestions and make appointments from the standpoint of the worthiness and ability of the men appointed, with politics secondary.

Having repulsed the Col. Manns and certain other Southern party leaders—most of them self-appointed—in their efforts to convert the Republican victory of 1928 into a great southern Republican patronage machine, President Hoover now has started recognizing the border and Southern States in his own fashion.

DIPLOMATIC MOVE

In his decision to name Senator Sackett as Ambassador to Berlin the President gets a man eminently fitted for the post and at the same time moves toward the solution of a troublesome Republican condition in Kentucky. Senator Sackett was coming up for re-election and the faction headed by Representative Robison and Gov. Sampson were out to get his scalp. An almost fatal division existed among lay Republicans and unless something was done about it the State was almost certain to send a Democrat to the Senate in Sackett's place.

Sackett's diplomatic appointment paves the way for Robison to run for the Republican nomination without a contest, with splendid chances of being elected next November. He probably will be named by Gov. Sampson to fill out Sackett's unexpired term, although there is some talk that while he runs then for the full term a woman maybe Mrs. Alvin T. Hert or Mrs. Christine Bradley South, will be placed on the ticket for the term of a few months.

SACKETT APPOINTMENT OKEH WITH GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—The German government has informed President Hoover that Senator Sackett of Kentucky will be acceptable as Ambassador from the United States.

The White House announced today that in view of Senator Sackett's acceptability, the nomination will be sent to the Senate Monday.

WORD OF APPOINTMENT PLEASES SACKETT

HAVANA (Cuba) Dec. 30. (AP)—Senator Frederic M. Sackett of Kentucky on his arrival late this afternoon, said that he had received no official notice of his appointment as United States Ambassador to Germany, but was greatly honored by it. He considered the Berlin mission one of the most important diplomatic posts now open.

Dern Suggests Road Named in Mather's Honor

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 30. (AP)—Gov. Dern today urged that Zion-Mt. Carmel Highway in Southern Utah be made a national monument and named the Stephen T. Mather Highway, in honor of the former director of national parks.

Dern in a letter to John Hays Hammond, chairman of the Stephen T. Mather appreciation committee, said he believes this recognition will be more appropriate than to build a monument in Mr. Mather's honor in Yosemite.

The highway, the Governor added, was conceived under the administration of Mather.

THREE DIE IN CRASH

COLUMBUS (O.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Gus Stefanus, Andrew Karlos and Photios Kyniazies were killed today when their automobile was struck by a train.

TITLED SWEDISH GIRL TO WED FRENCHMAN

[P. & A. Photo]
Baroness Palmstierne

LONDON, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Nobility of three countries today is looking forward to the marriage of Baroness Margarete Palmstierne of Sweden, to M. Francois de Seynes de Larlenque of France, which is scheduled to take place in this city in the immediate future. The engagement of the Baroness, who is a daughter of the Swedish Minister to England, and M. De Larlenque, was announced recently, but no definite date for the wedding has been announced. The wedding ceremonies will be held in the Swedish church here, it is understood.

ALL SHARES OF PAPER GO TO BLETHEN

Purchase of Balance of Interest in Seattle 'Times' Reported by Publisher

SEATTLE, Dec. 30. (AP) — The Seattle Times will say tomorrow that Col. C. B. Blethen, editor and publisher of the paper, has purchased the remaining 65 per cent of Times stock, making Blethen sole owner.

The paper will print the following announcement by Col. Blethen:

"The late Col. Alden J. Blethen, founder of the present-day Seattle Times, left his newspaper property to his children.

"It was his hope and desire that this newspaper should continue always in the control of his descendants and should first and last remain a Seattle institution.

"A generation will soon have passed and in order to perpetuate the control of the newspaper for future generations in one branch of the Blethen family and to insure its remaining always a Seattle institution, I have this day purchased the 65 per cent of Times stock previously owned by my father's other heirs."

Felon Retrial Costs Declared Up to Counties

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Although the cases which prompted the ruling have been dismissed, Atty.-Gen. Webb today expressed the opinion the courts should settle the financing of retrials in which criminals are sent to penal institutions and later discovered to be previous offenders.

The ruling is directed specifically to the scheduled retrials of fifteen Los Angeles county prisoners of San Quentin. Superior Judge Butler of Marin county objected to that county footing the bill for the transgressors of other counties.

Webb said he believed Marin county should shoulder the costs, bill the offending counties and then take the matter to court if the latter refused to pay.

Divorced Wife Sues Successor

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Trailed from New York, while en route from England to California with her husband, Mrs. Henry Bedford-Jones, second wife of the short-story writer, was served here today with a summons in a $200,000 alienation of affections suit filed by Jones's divorced first wife.

Royal W. Irwin, attorney for the divorced wife, followed the pair from New York, where they arrived Saturday, filed a suppressed praecipe here and then hurried to the Knickerbocker Hotel, where the two were registered under an assumed name, and served the woman with the papers.

BAY CITY POLICE CURB YOUTHFUL MARKSMEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Confiscation of air guns and rifles in the possession of youths within the city limits was ordered by Chief of Police Quinn today as the fifth victim of such weapons was entered on hospital records since Christmas. Mrs. Mary Miller, 38 years of age, housewife, was shot in the shoulder today by a rifle bullet fired at a target by 15-year-old Robert Stegnaro.

PARKER WINS DENTAL SUSPENSION DELAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Painless Parker, operating dental offices here and in Los Angeles, today won a skirmish in his attempt to have set aside the five-year suspension of his license to practice, ordered the 7th inst., by the State Board of Dental Examiners. Dr. Parker obtained an order from Superior Judge Conlon restraining the enforcement of the suspension until a hearing is held January 14, next.

VOLLMER RATES CRIME INCREASE

Says Violations Keep Pace with Population

Denies Periodic 'Waves' of Lawlessness

Makes Speech to Political Scientists

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30. (AP)—Crime has been increasing in the United States in exact ratio to the increase of population, regardless of all talk of "crime waves" and reports of crime commissions, August Vollmer, criminologist of the University of Chicago, said today.

Speaking at the convention of the American Political Science Association, Vollmer asserted that according to all available statistics, the criminal population is proportionately the same as it has been at any time in the past fifty years, and that the proportion of crime is about the same.

The criminologist, who formerly was Chief of Police at Berkeley, Cal., said that the average policeman is not trained for his job.

"When a good man gets a chiefship or police commissionership, it is purely an accident," he affirmed. "It is usually because he happens to be not only a good policeman, but a good politician, and such a man is not likely to hold his job long."

JEBY BEATS LAGREY

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Ben Jeby, New York, outpointed Joey Lagrey, New York middleweight, in the six-round feature bout at the St. Nicholas Arena tonight.

Announcement

Pictures of Tournament of Roses will be an additional last-minute attraction in the ANNUAL MID-WINTER NUMBER out on January 2, 1930.

These will show a large number of the prize-winning floats, together with exciting plays in the great East-West football battle taken with high-speed cameras.

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A Personal Statement to January Investors

SEVENTEEN years ago the Mortgage Guarantee Company was founded with certain clearly defined objects and ideals of special interest to both investors and borrowers; and I believe it to be particularly appropriate at this time, when so many people are seeking guidance in their financial plans, to tell briefly in what manner and to what extent the purposes of this organization have been and are being fulfilled.

One object was to provide a constant source of capital, available on equitable terms, for the financing of improved real estate, not only in Los Angeles but throughout the growing communities of California.

It is gratifying to be able to state that from the inception of the Company to date, including the period of the World War and the period of drastic readjustment which followed, we have been in a position at all times to meet the needs of our steadily growing clientele.

While at this date, of course, our books have not been audited for the year, our records indicate that during 1929, in the County of Los Angeles, we have loaned on first liens a total of $19,988,680.00. In addition, a considerable volume of money has been placed through the Company's loaning branches in San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento, Stockton, Modesto, Fresno and San Diego.

The total amount of money loaned in the State of California the past year is $25,293,485.00, representing about 3330 loans averaging around $7500 each, or more than ten loans for each working day.

Our Company operates under the Mortgage Insurance Act of the State of California (in many respects similar to the Bank Act) and every loan is based on valuations established by skilled, State-approved appraisers. The loaning system employed by this institution automatically qualifies its Insured First Mortgage Assignments as legal investments for State and Savings Banks, Trust Companies, insurance companies and all trust funds.

Naturally, many applications for loans are received by the Company which, for one reason or another, cannot be accepted. During the year the loan committee carefully considered and passed upon a total of upwards of 8000 applications which had gone through the various processes of examination and investigation.

This committee is composed of Mr. William H. Allen, Jr., President of the Title Insurance and Trust Company; Mr. H. F. Metcalf, of Metcalf & Ryan; Mr. J. B. Van Nuys, of the Van Nuys Investment Company; Mr. R. F. Gross, Executive Vice-President; Mr. George S. Seward, Vice-President and senior appraiser of our Company, and the Company's President, all of whom have had many years of experience in the real estate and mortgage business.

The work of this committee is to determine which loans can qualify under the rather severe restrictions which it is necessary for the Company to impose under its conservative policy of operation.

Under these restrictions the mortgaged property must meet various requirements, including a sound value at least double the amount of the desired loan. It is therefore significant that the Company now has outstanding—either on hand or guaranteed to its patrons—loans aggregating more than $85,000,000.00. This means more than 11,000 separate items on the books of the Company which it is necessary continually to follow, renew, re-appraise, insure and supervise. To handle this great volume of detail efficiently requires 150 or more employees, including numerous experts in their respective lines of work, many of whom have been with the Company ten years or more.

The foregoing represents principally *service to the borrower*, so now let us consider briefly the Company's *service to investors.*

The second major object of the Company on which the business was founded, was to create a form of investment which would meet the highest requirements of institutions and individuals who invest for *safety of principal and certainty of income.* We believed then as we believe now that sound investing is essential to general prosperity; that speculation is an economic misuse of capital which serves no useful purpose.

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Insured Investments of this Company are now held by conservative investors virtually throughout the United States and in a number of foreign countries as well. Insurance Companies head the list with more than $33,000,000, while individual holders come next with more than $27,000,000. Banks are third, followed by trustees, corporations and other institutions.

Inquiries are cordially invited from those who desire further information concerning the service (to borrowers or investors) of this institution which, we can say with justifiable pride, now enjoys the distinction of ranking as one of the largest, strongest and most rapidly growing institutions of its kind in the United States.

MORGAN ADAMS, President.

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TOCK MARKET REVIVAL SCHEDULED IN AUTUMN

t Year in Securities Brought Reckoning for Excesses; Coast Healthy

BY EARLE E. CROWE
Financial Editor, Los Angeles Times

hen they revise the story books about the stock market, ill be chiefly notable as the year in which "Humpty-Dumpty of the wall." For five years this huge puppet joyously dipped served to the plaudits of millions in all corners of the d, and it was inevitable that a few capers too many would be me day.

hen all the pieces are picked ain another year will probably e. If 1929 was the year of ng for the stock market, ill be the year of reconstruc- It will take time to work all business fundamentals around e point, where another bull n can make a start, and it will take time to work the pub- up to the point where it will in price to see the show.

ding of basic importance was ed in the crash of October ember, and nothing of se- import in the business sit- ndicated the deflation in se- prices. For this reason it will not require as many months ual for the period of correc- and possibly the groundwork a new upward movement of ever the duration will be laid in 1930.

MINOR UPSETS DUE

ubtedly minor shocks and ulties will be heard and ussed in the early months of new year. There probably will some of the insolvencies, receiv- and dividend omissions that been developing in the last few ys. But these possibili- are to be expected as the after- of a long period of excesses speculation. There is nothing cheering in this prospect because e is every assurance they will important in the general run of things.

the year as a whole, the out- is for a slight decline in busi- activity and profits, probably more than 5 per cent. This is expected after the long up- period of the last several years, will be more in the nature of breathing spell than any evidence of serious

ney rates, after churning ard at a lively rate during the final months of 1929, will likely n down around 5 and 6 per t, the average for call loans. stock market will have plenty ney on which to run a nor- and active market, but these speculative rates will not attract enormous flow of private capi- that traveled to Wall street st in the last year. The ge surplus capital at the com- and of individuals and corpora- will be available for employ- in stocks, bonds, or business ations, wherever the prospect profit is the most inviting.

BONDS TO MOVE

ost corporations have ade of expansion require- and have done most of their ing, the volume of new financ- in 1930 will hardly measure up the records of the last few years. situation will have an impor- bearing on the character of ity in the bond market. Trad- in seasoned listed bonds should more active than in the last

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OIL OUTPUT CHECKED BY PRODUCERS

Reeser Sets Curtailment at Ten Million Barrels; Warns Refiners

BY E. B. REESER
President American Petroleum Institute

Conservation policies adopted a year or more ago are generally conceded to have gone far toward the stabilization of the petroleum industry. Under the co-operative movement through the various fields at least 10,000,000 barrels of crude oil that otherwise would have been produced was kept in the ground, the natural tankage and the proper place to store petroleum.

More than 5000 refining companies, marketing companies and individuals engaged in the distribution of petroleum products have signed the National Code of Practices for Marketing Refined Petroleum Products. This is tending to correct many of the abuses in the marketing division and will, undoubtedly, assist in putting the selling end of the oil business on an ethical plane. The interest of the public, as well as the industry, will be served better as a result of the code.

The refining department, as indicated by the figures compiled by the Bureau of Mines, has not, as yet, taken advantage of a great opportunity to complete the cycle in the conservation of petroleum products. Leaders realize the wasteful practices of present refinery operations. Stocks of gasoline, for instance, are twice as much as they should be. I look forward to an early correction in this phase of the petroleum industry and believe that 1930 will be a more prosperous year for the entire industry than 1929.

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INTENSIVE SALES EFFORT PLANNED

All programs under consideration by the L. C. Smith and Corona Typewriters, Inc., will be carried through in 1930, according to Fowler Manning, president, who said the company anticipated conservatism in buying which will become a recession unless compensated by a stronger and better selling effort. The company, he added, planned a broader and more intensive application of selling to the existing market.

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INDUSTRY AND FINANCE LEADERS OPTIMISTIC

Outlook for New Year Viewed as Promising

E. B. REESER — C. M. KEYS — A. W. ROBERTSON — JOHN S. LONSDALE

WESTINGHOUSE CHIEF CHEERFUL

Rail Projects Expected to Aid Equipment Makers

BY A. W. ROBERTSON
Chairman Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company

Last year brought the electrical manufacturing industry the largest volume of business that it has ever enjoyed. The sales of the larger electrical manufacturing companies showed an increase of about 30 per cent over those of 1928, which was itself a record-breaking year, and many smaller manufacturers did even better. Earnings also increased as the result of manufacturing improvements introduced during the past few years.

During 1930 there will probably be a falling off in the demand for certain lines, as the effect of the recent fall in security values will undoubtedly be felt to some extent; but, on the other hand, the general economic situation is thoroughly sound, and the movement to stabilize business, being carried out by American industries under the leadership of President Hoover, will probably tend to prevent any great recession, especially for the electrical manufacturing industry, because the use of electricity is now so general that this industry benefits by constructive activity in almost every field.

In the extensive program of improvement being planned by the public utilities and the industries of the nation, railroad electrification occupies a prominent position. Though electricity is being used as motive power on several thousand miles of railroad in this country, it has, so far, been mainly employed as a supplement to steam to solve certain local problems such as those that are caused by tunnels, mountain grades and congested terminals.

Industrial activity has been very great during the past few years. This has resulted in a large demand for electrical apparatus for the production of raw materials, for manufacturing extensions and for handling products of all kinds. A special feature of the situation is that partial electrifications are now being superseded by complete electrifications, which permit the use of continuous processes and higher speeds, thereby reducing unit costs.

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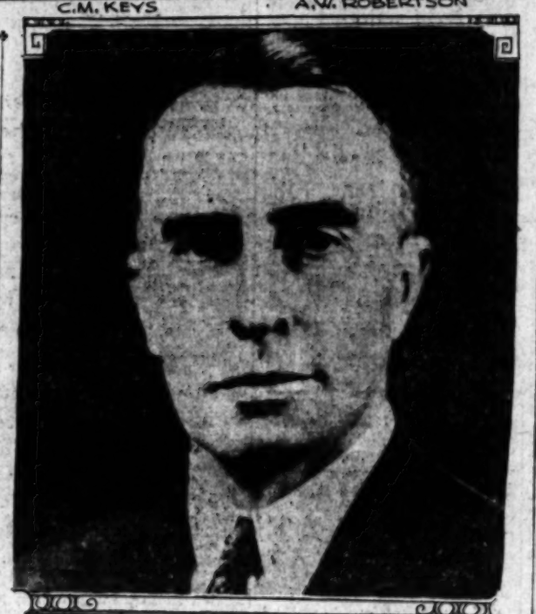

TROWBRIDGE CALLAWAY

Prosperity Gain Forecast

HEALTHY FACTORS LISTED

Head of Investment Bankers Believes a Sounder Prosperity Close at Hand

BY TROWBRIDGE CALLAWAY
President Investment Bankers' Association of America

Almost every one realized that a market break had to come, but for several years it had been so frequently predicted and the predictions had been wrong so many times that even last summer when the indices of a number of key industries turned downward, comparatively few heeded the warning.

I do not wish to dwell on a painful subject—the market break is still so recent as to be a very sore spot to many—but there are some very wholesome aspects in the situation which we cannot afford to overlook.

FACTORS LISTED

First, we are further along in this readjustment period, and nearer to working into a sounder prosperity than a superficial view of present conditions might indicate. We have no expanded inventories to throttle production and credit. Second, our credit structure is in a sounder condition than it has been for several years. There are ample funds for business growth. Third, the productivity of industry is unimpaired. Fourth, the buying power of the people as a whole has apparently not been seriously affected. Fifth, the element of fear so widely spread by the market break was quickly recognized and prompt steps taken by government and business alike prevented its spread.

There is no need here and now to detail the huge and undoubted capacity of American industry to create new wealth and maintain an increasing higher standard of living. That cannot be disputed. Nor can there be any doubt but that there is ample credit for every legitimate demand of industry. The whole question of forecast seems to depend on that one factor of consumption. To the extent that production has been overstimulated by excessive purchases with borrowed money there is likely to be a slackening in production until earnings and savings have caught up with expenditures; but in so far as consumption depends on psychology the outlook is clearer.

VALUES AFFECTED

Had this break affected only artificial prices its results would have been much less acute. Regrettably, however, it developed into a stampede that cut into intrinsic values as well as fictitious prices. This extreme phase of what in the beginning was purely a natural economic reaction has been referred to in various terms as a "debacle," a "panic," etc.

I have called it a stampede because, to my mind, it resembled at its worst nothing so much as the blind, unreasoning, self-destructive rush of a herd of cattle fleeing from imaginary fears.

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AERO INDUSTRY EXPANSION CUT

Aircraft Executive Discusses Readjustment Period

BY C. M. KEYS
President Curtiss-Wright Corporation

Abundant, free capital, ample commercial credit, growing export markets and the co-operation of State, municipal and national government forces in pushing forward expansion seem to me to promise a fair maintenance of the labor and industrial markets of 1930, and to make it probable that there will not be throughout the country as a whole the kind of trade recession that so frequently follows a financial collapse like that of 1929.

There are, however, sufficient reasons for caution. Enterprises based on speculative capital, of which there were a great many pending, will probably not go forward. Many industries contemplated heavy construction and expansion, to be financed by the sale of common stocks. A good many of these enterprises, as well as a very large number being pushed forward by men using their personal fortunes, will go slowly the first part of 1930, at least.

In aviation the industry is passing through its first great readjustment since it grew to be a fair-sized industry, and a great many of the smaller units in the industry have already canceled all plans for expansion. The other units, which had financed in the early part of 1929 plans for extentive construction, are going forward with these plans, but most of these plans have been slowed down so as to extend over a long period of time.

This is probably a wholesome development, because the original plans constituted, in effect, a rather dangerous period of hotly competitive building and expansion, which will be much sounder if it is spread out over a longer period of time and not executed in such great haste. I should say that on the whole the construction programs of the principal aviation companies during 1930 will be not much more than 50 per cent of what was contemplated six months ago.

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General Baking Outlook Bright

BY FREDERIC H. FRAZIER
Chairman General Baking Company

The baking industry finds 1929 has been a very satisfactory year for them, speaking generally. The General Baking Company has had the most successful year and we look forward to 1930 being even more so.

The General Baking Company has been busily engaged in rebuilding and modernizing its fifty plants, in addition to having erected a number of new plants. We plan on continuing this construction work throughout 1930, and our program will therefore continue without interruption.

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LATE DECLINE FEATURE OF REMARKABLE YEAR

Chief Problem in 1930 Forecast is Duration of Recession in General Business

BY PAUL WILLARD GARRETT
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What the 1930 curtain will unfold in business is strongly suggested by the acts of the drama recently witnessed. The probable succession of events from January 1 on seems easier to anticipate than it did a year ago.

Now the question comes down to one of prognosticating the duration of a decline. Then the land was in the bloom of prosperity. It is not so easy to time the life of an intense business expansion as that of a recession. Periods of depression customarily are shorter than those of prosperity.

Six full months of decline have introduced the fourth recession in business since 1920. The 1921, 1924 and 1927 recessions, and the 1929 setback to date, each in turn has been milder than the other. Each bottom has been higher than the one before. When the final December figures come in this series of successively milder recessions probably will be broken. The indication is that the late 1929 decline got down to the 1927 low.

RESEMBLANCE SHOWN

Some striking resemblances appear between the 1927 and current recessions. Each came as the culmination of a long-sustained level of active business. Each started at mid-year. The decline in each case to the year's end exceeded 10 per cent. A restorative was rather promptly administered in 1927 and in 1929 by the Federal Reserve system through the injection of easy money. That sinister influence underlying the 1921 depression, commodity inflation, was not visibly working either in 1927 or 1929. If the comparison ended there a prediction that the current recession has run its full course already would be warranted. December was the low month in 1927.

But in one respect the 1929 downturn is a more complex cyclical phenomenon. Once started the business decline last autumn was accelerated by the most severe panic on the stock market that the world has ever witnessed. The nation was treated to a spectacle of falling quotations that men had thought never would be seen again. After eight years of persistent advance the Coolidge-Mellon-Hoover bull market abruptly ended. Within ten weeks from the September 3 extreme highs to the November 13 extreme lows—and largely in eight trading sessions—was compressed a major bear market more devastating than any previous bear movement in the last quarter of a century. Specifically stocks fell 40 per cent. They fell 38 per cent in 1903, 48 per cent in 1907, 40 per cent in 1916-1917 and 44 per cent in 1919-1920.

Now a general impression exists that the collapse in stock values preceded the recession in business. Consequently people have become unnecessarily alarmed. Some reckon that the market's drop forecast an approaching major depression. Actually a definite turn in business started three months before the market gave evidence of disturbance. The market's decline did not bring on business recession. It accelerating the decline.

EXCESSES RESPONSIBLE

But at the first shadow of a business decline was not cast by the stock market it was cast by a condition arising from the market's excesses. Tight money rates sooner or later inevitably kill a business advance. Too free a use of credit by the market in the later phases of the bull market stiffened the charge for funds. Short-term money rates in 1929 rose to the dearest levels since 1921. This rising trend in rates or rather the simultaneous fall in bond prices induced a recession in the building industry long before it was felt in industries

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BANKS BEGIN NEW YEAR IN GOOD SHAPE

Lonsdale Asserts Credit Ample for Legitimate Needs of Business

BY JOHN G. LONSDALE
President American Bankers Association

The close of 1929 finds the banks of the nation in strong condition and ready to do their part in helping business to continue constructive progress. Credit is ample for the legitimate needs of commerce and industry and money rates have eased. Since cheaper money and easy credit, unless wisely used, tend to lead to overexpansion, it is the responsibility of the banker to weigh credit problems carefully and to encourage sound, constructive developments.

The Hoover conferences have been very beneficial in building business confidence in the future through impressing the public mind with the fact big business leaders are planning ahead for continued activity.

The point ought to be emphasized that we all should be pleased with satisfactory business. We cannot go on forever setting up new records in each industry.

Backed by such encouraging factors as low inventories, a more cautious attitude, ample credit and improved agriculture, it would seem that business in 1930 should continue to give a good accounting of itself.

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Food Industry Confident of Scoring Gains

BY COLBY M. CHESTER
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The recent unheaval in the stock market will inject new factors in the business outlook for this year. We must go back some time to find a parallel. Such a tremendous marking down of values cannot fail to impair, to some extent, the purchasing power of the people and it would seem to be a reasonable prophecy that this curtailment of purchasing power will be most reflected in those industries which are classified as luxuries.

However much business generally may be affected, the food industry will remain unimpaired, and there is every assurance that the record will again show steady and substantial gains. Our population is still increasing and necessarily more food must be consumed.

The leading companies in the industry have already indicated this confidence. Plans for increasing advertising appropriations have in many instances been completed. It is evident that extremely favorable conditions will exist in the raw-material market for the early part of 1930 at least. Further, appreciable headway has been made in solving some of the problems of distribution. Completion has paved the way for the more scientific distribution of food products.

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UTILITY EXPANSIONS TO AID

North American Head Declares Construction Expenses Only Third of Total

BY FRANK L. DAME
President The North American Company

Some time ago it was my privilege to attend the public utility conference called by President Hoover and to report that increased expenditures are contemplated in 1930 by the North American Company's subsidiaries for new construction work, as well as for maintenance of existing properties. The President rendered a splendid service in calling together representatives of various industries and assembling estimates of construction expenditures from the expectation of sound business conditions naturally follows.

The conference really served an even larger purpose by suggesting an analysis of other expenditures by public utilities, railroads and other industries which will contribute to the business stability of the country, and the purchasing power of the population. While the President's primary object was public assurance of accelerated construction programs an item which necessarily varies in size from year to year, he also had in mind related items entailing larger disbursements.

F. H. ECKER

EXPENSES TO GAIN

If the variable expenditures by the public utilities for construction and maintenance are to increase it follows that their expenditures for operation, which are of a more or less fixed nature, will of necessity increase. These, together with such items as taxes, bond interest and dividends, are of large importance in sustaining and increasing the spending power of the public. Operating expenditures will be distributed through many channels, including employees' pay rolls, tax payments will become available for public works and interest on bonds and dividends on stock will flow to large numbers of investors.

ITEMS LISTED

Expenditures for all purposes, therefore, should be taken into consideration in estimating the spending power of the public in 1930. From this viewpoint the North American Company and subsidiaries actually will spend during 1930 approximately $171,000,000. There is the item of $57,000,000 for new construction, as reported to the President's conference, and which compares with $50,000,000 for 1929. Add to this about $84,000,000 for operating expenses, including the item of $11,000,000 for maintenance and an item of $17,000,000 for taxes. Add $18,000,000 for bond interest and $12,600,000 for dividends on the preferred stocks. Exclusive of expenditures for new construction, these items total $114,000,000 or $171,000,000 for all purposes.

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SURANCE BUSINESS GROWS

tropolitan Life President Says Stock Collapse Has Stressed Value of Policies

BY FREDERICK H. ECKER
President Metropolitan Life Insurance Company

The year 1929 will be remembered as a notable one in life insurance ory since it marked the attainment of the $100,000,000,000 mark in ance in force. With the advent of a new year, we enter upon the era ld second $100,000,000,000—the second $100,000,000,000 decade, one ay, for it is our firm belief that 1940 will see $200,000,000,000 life insurance in force in this country.

ough there has been much re gression of the mark that has set, the true proportions of the job of attaining it have not been made altogether clear. It is not that we shall merely write another $100,000,000,000 of insurance the next ten years, we shall gain that much; that is, we shall write enough more than $100,000,000,000 to replace all the discontinuances that occur during the period through death claims, maturities and lapsation. It will prove more nearly a $150,000,000,000 figure, one of $100,000,000,000

F. L. DAME

FAITH JUSTIFIED

ere seems to be no reason why should not contribute its ex- share to the attainment of second $100,000,000,000 mark, in of the financial disruption and ment following down of business ed the closing months of year. If anything, the collapse stock market has reacted and continues to react to the of life insurance, since it the average individual a strik- necessity to weigh the sound- of his stock investments part of his insurance policy. public is quick to forget its market experiences, it is particularly when prices are on the rise, but the thought not to remain with a man the midst of great pressure made he was able to obtain ut difficulty by borrowing policy, or with the widow ough her husband's estate been depleted as far as security holdings were concerned, his life insurance held at par.

Then, too, there can be no doubt that an even greater faith was engendered in life insurance management when it was seen how little the companies were affected by the financial situation. The investment policy which is now being followed has been fully justified.

DOMESTIC BUDGET

But, great as these influences should prove in the matter of the year's business, they will hardly be foremost in bringing about the substantial production we are anticipating. The chief reason for this will be the continuing growth of a more intelligent understanding of the service that life insurance provides. Today men are coming to look on life insurance in its simplest form not as the means of providing a mere burial fund or an arbitrary lump sum that their dependents may possibly be able to use intelligently; they are appreciating the fact that their protection can be made to bring into the bereaved home a regular and fixed income on which the family can depend absolutely. As the appeal of this more practical idea spreads, more individuals are being attracted to insurance, while among those already insured, the spread between their present incomes and the income that could be realized from their insurance is still great enough to cause them to strive to buy more in order to nearly more equalize the two. Even though we have progressed to the point of $100,000,000,000 of insurance in force, the vast amount is equal only to about a single year's income from all sources for the total population; and since many men believe that the least that should be provided against death is the equivalent of five years' income, it is easy to see why we can be optimistic over the opportunity that the year holds.

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PACKARD MOTOR-CAR HEAD OPTIMISTIC

Alvan Macauley, president of the Packard Motor Car Company, and recognized as one of the "best heads" in the automobile industry, is of the opinion that conditions in general and the automobile industry in particular, will stage a sudden revival to normal about the first of this year. A 5,000,000-car output next year, he says, may be looked for. This will be 600,000 less than during the present year, but with the one exception, still higher than any previous year.

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LEADING FIGURES IN RESPECTIVE LINES OF INDUSTRY

M. S. SLOAN — W. S. GIFFORD — F. R. FRAZIER — FREDERICK B. PATTERSON

Electric power, telephone, baking and office equipment companies are represented by these four business leaders, each an outstanding figure in his respective line. Matthew S. Sloan is president of the New York Edison Company; Walter S. Gifford, president of the nation-wide American Telephone and Telegraph Company; Frederic H. Frazier, chairman of the General Baking Company, and Frederick B. Patterson is president of the National Cash Register Company.

Cleveland Economist Describes How System of Trading on Margin Operate

MARKET LOSERS PUTTING BACK WINNERS PROFITS

Col. Ayres Analyzes Methods of Stock Speculation and Effect on Business

BY LEONARD P. AYRES
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Stock market winners are free spenders, and stock market losers are poor buyers. There is nothing new about this, nor is there anything novel in the reflection that since recent stock market losers are numerous there is now a considerable curtailment in free spending. Perhaps a sufficient amount of time has elapsed since the great crash in stock prices so that it may now be profitable to examine in some detail into the economics of stock market gains and losses in the endeavor to estimate the degree of retarding effect on general business that may be expected as a result of the recent bear market.

COL. L. P. AYRES

Probably the best measures of the amounts of stock market gains in a rising market are to be derived from a study of the increase in brokers' loans during a period of advancing stock prices. The way this works out is about as follows. A man buys through his broker 100 shares of a stock that is selling for $100 a share, so that the total amount of his purchase is $10,000. He actually hands over to the broker a margin payment of 25 per cent, or $2500. His broker borrows the remaining $7500, and on the following Thursday, when the weekly statement of brokers' loans appears, there is included in the total an increase of $7500 by reason of this transaction.

After a time the market price of this stock advances from $100 to $130 and the fortunate speculator sells out his $10,000 purchase for $12,000, and takes out his $2000 profit. If the new buyer is still able to persuade his broker to accept a 25-point margin he puts up $2500 in cash just as the first man did, but this time the broker has to borrow the difference between $2500 and $12,000, or $9500, which is larger than his former borrowing by $2000. The increase in brokers' loans in this transaction is just the same as the amount of the profit that the successful speculator has taken out of the market. Moreover, successive increases will tend to be the equivalent of the profits taken out, except for the fact that as the prices of the stocks advance the brokers will demand larger cash margins, and in the degree that they do so the increases in brokers' loans will fall short of the profits that are being withdrawn.

In considerable degree the people who withdrew these gains from the speculative markets regarded them as income rather than as increases of capital. They had come easily, and generous portions of them were freely spent. Of course, they had a stimulating effect on general business. In reality, they were not in the main additions to national wealth. In so far as they were represented by the increases in the the brokers' loans they were money borrowed from the future, and destined to be paid back later on by other and less fortunate individuals.

When stock prices discount the future too far in advance a great many people make money by selling their stocks and taking their profits. These winnings are not an addition to national wealth; they are an overdraft on national savings. When the bull market is terminated the last margin buyers of the stocks shoulder the task of paying off the overdraft. That is what has been happening in recent weeks. In a bull market a large part of the increase in brokers' loans represents profits taken out of the markets by successful speculators, and in so far as prices are in excess of values these profits constitute an overdraft on national savings credited to the bank accounts of the astute speculators. In a bear market a large part of the shrinkage in brokers' loans represents the paying off of the overdraft by other and less astute operators.

The harm that results from such transfers of wealth is chiefly of two kinds: The first is that those who receive the gains largely reap the rewards without earning them, while the losses consist in large measure of the sacrifice of real earnings and savings which must be used as additional margins and outright payments when stock prices turn down. This uneven allocation of rewards and penalties is socially unwholesome. The other effect that is detrimental to economic well being is that the profits are taken, and in part spent, at one period, oftime and by one group of persons, while the losses are made up in a later period of time by another group of persons. If the two processes of taking profits and taking losses were going on simultaneously, as they do at race tracks and in games of chance, the effects on general prosperity would be less restrictive.

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OIL STOCKS TO GAIN SPOTLIGHT

Investment Trust President Sees Better Year

BY JOHN H. MARKHAM, JR.
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It is generally conceded that an earnest endeavor has been witnessed on the part of the oil industry to solve the problem of excess production and the consequent price situation with which it has been confronted for so many years. Hope is engendered that such measures as the Lyon Natural Gas Conservation Act will ultimately accomplish the desired results.

Greater attention has been focused on the oil stocks as a group recently. Oil stocks as a group did not participate to so great an extent as most other groups in the long advance in prices which reached its peak in the early fall of this year, and consequently, on the average, they were not subjected to as sweeping and drastic reactions as took place in most other groups of stocks. Oil stocks in general may be considered to have acted in a very satisfactory way during the recent near-panic, and thereby gained in prestige.

The realization is becoming more widespread that the oil industry is possibly entering a new era. A significant factor which bears out this contention is that crude output reached its peak of 2,973,450 barrels daily for the week ended August 31, 1929, and by the middle of November, daily production was reported as being 2,630,000 barrels. This daily production level has since been maintained with only minor fluctuations and the daily average gross crude oil production for the week ended December 14, 1929, was 2,622,050 barrels.

Consumption of gasoline has almost quadrupled in the last ten years; it does not seem to be a too optimistic statement to predict that consumption in 1930 will be in excess of that of 1929.

From present indications, it is almost certain that the earnings for 1929 of the major companies, as a whole, will exceed those of 1928. Dividend payments in 1929 will, in all probability, exceed by a substantial margin dividend payments in 1928.

Sound oil stocks measured by earnings, dividends paid and future outlook appear to possess greater investment value at this time than for some time past.

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Industry, Trade and Stock Market Viewed

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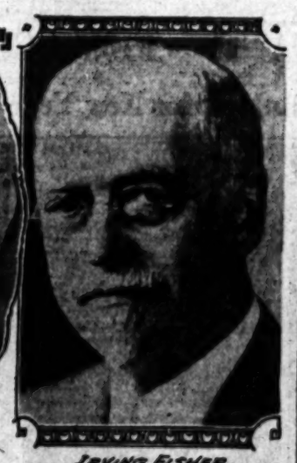
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STOCK MARKET REVIVAL SLATED

Renewal of Advance Looked for in Fall Months

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twelve months to reflect the heavier investment of corporate funds in bonds and the narrowing in the supply of new issues. Prices of the higher-grade investment bonds should not have any marked rise, since the trend of interest rates and commodity prices is not likely to move downward to any extent.

Speculative bonds, in a year like 193., appears in perspective, ought to do better in price. A good many of the former speculators in stocks will be more inclined to take the creditor's risk rather than the partner's, where the income return on the speculative security is greater than the averages offered on prime investment issues. A good many bonds now regarded as speculative will be found to only lack seasoning.

Not so many people, however, will return to bonds as was the case after former collapses of bull markets in stocks. The equity idea is firmly implanted in the mind of the American investor, and the new converts in large numbers will be searching the list during the next year for desirable investments in common stocks to hold for the long term.

Unquestionably the scrutiny of equity buyers will be turned more fully on Pacific Coast stocks than at any time in the past. From a market point of view, the Pacific Coast stock issues are not yet thoroughly seasoned, and consequently as a group are selling and have been selling out of line with eastern issues. The East was just beginning to discover the Pacific Coast when the market toppled, but it will be back again. Capital inevitably flows to where it will command the highest return and where it is offered the greatest opportunity for profit.

COAST "WHITE SPOT"

Accumulation of Pacific Coast securities undoubtedly will be stimulated by the trade reports submitted to the Hoover conferences in Washington. Most of the reports by competent observers have indicated that little or no recession is anticipated in California business activities in 1930. This forecast is directly in contrast with virtually all other sections in the country, and is already exciting considerable comment among business and financial leaders.

The twelve months of 1929, viewed in retrospect, were probably the most exciting and dramatic ever experienced in the long history of the stock market. Aside from the historic collapse of prices that ended the bull market and inaugurated the first bear market in five years, there were innumerable developments of significance and general interest. There was the brokers'-loan situation and the nation-wide attention it commanded; the strong-arm policy of the Federal Reserve Board and the sharp criticism by the public; and the unprecedented volume of trading from every corner of the world in the New York stock market.

Certainly the most dramatic episode was the solemn gathering of Wall street's chiefs at the temple of J. P. Morgan & Co., as reported by the financial news tickers during the height of the crisis. The millions of speculators hanging breathlessly over the tickers relaxed in relief as the flashes came over the tape: "Charles E. Mitchell just entered the Morgan offices" and "Seward Prosser has just arrived to join the Morgan conference."

And then when Thomas W. Lamont, Morgan partner, came out of the meeting to issue his reassuring statement, the report over the ticker was greeted with thunderous cheers in hundreds of brokerage offices throughout the land. At the moment, at least, the harassed speculators felt they were saved.

That the crisis was genuine was attested by the prompt measures taken by the so-called "banking group" to stabilize the market against hysterical liquidation. A $1,000,000,000 banking pool was raised to stabilize the key stocks, and John D. Rockefeller, Sr., broke his long inactivity by bidding $50 a share for 1,000,000 shares of Standard Oil of New Jersey.

On September 19, the stock market, as measured by the New York Times index of fifty stocks, reached its high at 311.90. This was the peak of what was originally known as the "Coolidge bull market." A little more than one month later the first shock of deflation was felt, and on November 13, the averages reached the low for the year at 264.43. This was a 47 per cent decrease from the high.

The peak of trading volume was touched on October 29, when 16,410,000 shares were turned over in the wildest session in the history of the New York Stock Exchange. On several days prior to this time, trading was at a gait of 12,000,000 shares and better. These days of furious activity were featured by declines in individual issues running from $15 to more than $100 a share.

EDGAR S. BLOOM

Prosperity Seen

INDUSTRIAL ORDERS AT NEW PEAK

Western Electric Ends Best Year With Record Business on Hand

BY EDGAR S. BLOOM
President Western Electric Company

The 1929 business of the Western Electric Company has been the largest in its history, with sales in excess of $400,000, compared with $287,000 in 1928. Orders on hand at the close of the year are likewise the greatest in the history of the business. During the year the number of employes has increased from 50,000 to more than 61,000. There is no indication that that number will be less during 1930, and it probably will be higher.

The company is in the midst of an intensive program of expanding its manufacturing facilities, and during 1930 contemplates the expenditure of $55,000,000 for additional plant and equipment. This will involve extensions to the Hawthorne work in Chicago, the Kearny works in New Jersey and the construction of the new factory at Point Breeze in Baltimore. During 1929 we have increased floor space devoted to manufacturing by 25 per cent, or more than 1,250,000 square feet, and in 1930 we plan to add more than double that amount.

Our production and plant development program is being carried out to enable this company to meet the expanding needs of the Bell system for equipment required to carry on the program of constantly improving the quality and convenience of telephone service and to care for additional service for the public.

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TURKISH TOBACCO GROWN

The first Turkish tobacco ever raised in commercial quantities in Canada went to market the other day when six growers of the Leamington district, who formed a syndicate to try the experiment of producing the Turkish variety, shipped 1000 pounds to a Montreal firm.

TRUCK OUTPUT TO HIT PEAK

Head of Mack Company Predicts Year's Increase at 35 Per Cent

BY A. J. BROSSEAU
President Mack Trucks, Inc.

Commercial motor vehicles production during 1929 will be approximately 780,000 vehicles, exceeding last year's production by more than 200,000, or 35 per cent.

This is a record for all time. It is likely that the conditions which were responsible for the lower rate of production during the fourth quarter of 1929 will extend into the first quarter of 1930.

It is the belief of those best informed in the industry that the volume of production of commercial vehicles, trucks and busses will be at a greater rate in 1930 than during 1929.

The future of the commercial motor vehicle and highway transportation is very bright.

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WAGES FACTOR OF PROSPERITY

Woolworth Head Takes Firm Stand on Salaries

BY H. T. PARSON
President F. W. Woolworth Company

As to the business outlook for next year, I feel very sure that our business is headed for a very good year in 1930.

The general business of the country will be greatly stimulated by the constructive work that has been done at Washington to continue employment in public works, and by the continued expansion of large industries, providing for the further use of labor and material.

The basis of prosperity in this country is the employment of the wage earner at our present standard of wages. The wage earner is the large potential buyer of finished products. Both the agriculturist and the industrial worker are large consumers, and when they are enjoying good earnings, the business of the country is enjoying prosperity.

The deflation of Wall street will hurt many savings accounts, but the American people live in the future and not in the past. Looking forward, they will put behind them the troubles of October and November in the financial world.

The crash of the pinnacle of speculation will have a sobering effect on everybody interested in industry. They will now give more time and attention to their own business or employment, and this will greatly benefit the expansion and uplift of prosperity in 1930.

With money at low interest rates and the will of capital and labor, as expressed at Washington, to go ahead and produce, we should have prosperity in the year 1930.

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GAS UNITS PLAN HUGE EXPANSION

Building Expenditures for Ensuing Year to Top $425,000,000

BY BERNARD J. MULLANEY
President American Gas Association

In the business with which I have most contacts—manufactured and natural gas and electric light and power expansion programs indicate expectation of a good average year in 1930. Plans have been made as usual for property additions and betterments to take care of increased business and to improve operating efficiency, and there is no apparent reason at this time for curtailing execution.

The manufactured and natural gas industry of the country, for example, has taken stock of its composite circumstances. Its contemplated expenditures for new construction and expansion in 1930 will aggregate approximately $435,000,000, an increase of about 6 per cent over 1929. About $50,000,000 more will be expended for maintenance. The natural-gas part of the expansion program may be considerably increased if the current cheaper money predictions are realized.

There is encouragement in the apparently growing recognition—and expression of it—by real leaders in American business, that business can be good without being in a constant state of boom.

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Verity Sounds Optimistic Note

BY GEORGE M. VERITY
President American Rolling Mill Company

There is every indication that at least a very large majority of all the plans heretofore made for industrial improvement and expansion will be carried out as previously planned.

It would be very short-sighted to do otherwise for, as certain as the night follows the day, when business gets into full swing again we shall find ourselves in a period of great activity made necessary in the endeavor to take care of current needs and to catch up with a delayed and increased consumption.

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The work of ten major institutions of higher learning in Southern California is reviewed in the Annual Midwinter Number, out January 2.

ROSY ERA SEEN BY ECONOMIST

Fisher Asserts Prosperity Will Continue

Plowing Back Profits Held as Good Omen

Consumer Demand Holds High, Professor Avers

BY IRVING FISHER
Professor of Economics, Yale University

The increase both in dividend payments and in plowed-back earnings during 1929 over 1928 gave earnest of continuing prosperity to business for 1930. It should minimize the effects of the panic, which was largely restricted to the stock market.

When earnings are turned back into a business it is in order to increase the rate of profits according to the same method by which interest is compounded on savings. There always has been a plowing back of earnings, but it has been especially done in the last few years.

In measuring the average annual rate of change in the economic movements in the United States from 1922 to 1927, inclusive, President Hoover's committee on recent economic changes shows that the rate of profits, or earnings, for industrial corporations, has increased by 9 per cent yearly and the rate of dividend payments for industrial and miscellaneous corporations has increased yearly by 6.8 per cent.

These figures imply that the increase in the average annual rate plowed back for the six years 1922 to 1927, inclusive, was over 9 per cent per annum in fact, if the dividends to start with were half the

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WHEAT PRICES STRENGTHEN

Chicago Board of Trade President Predicts Good Year for Farmers

BY SAMUEL P. ARNOT
President Chicago Board of Trade

American finance and industry are more strongly intrenched ever before. A remarkably sound credit situation exists, fair to good. Large programs of construction and development the offing. Farm conditions continue to improve.

Total income of farmers for the 1929-30 crop year will equal that of the previous season.

Grain farmers have done fairly well; the wheat crop is smaller than in 1928, but the gross return may be larger. So far this season wheat prices have been higher than for the previous year.

Reports on world production outside Russia and China in 1929 indicate about 3,400,000,000 bushels, or 500,000,000 less than the record crop of 1928. The Department of Agriculture says that as the carryover was larger than for the previous crop year, the total world supply for 1929-30 is only about 360,000,000 bushels less than the supply available in 1928-29. But the indicated reduction has raised the world price level.

FARM RELIEF FACTOR

In the live-stock industry further improvement has been noted. This is likewise true of the dairy industry.

Value of farm property has increased in the last two seasons. In the past year land values slipped slightly. But personal property, including live stock, increased enough to raise the estimated current value of agricultural real estate and personal property to $58,645,000,000.

Generally speaking, the whole agricultural outlook is bright.

In this difficult grain-marketing year—difficult from the standpoint of political activities, changing crop conditions and the crash of the stock markets—the Chicago Board of Trade, central grain market, has given a good account of itself. Insure on the market about with stock in single market day it was to absorb grain, which proceeded in manner, with the minute behind and with recoveries soon

Because of a large price of May wheat level early last spring.

A renewal of farm sions tended to steady then there was a enhancement.

GOVERNMENT

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For January Investment

		Rate	Due	Yield
CALIFORNIA MUNICIPALS				
$ 50,000	State of California	4½'s	1945	4.10%
40,000	Fresno School	5's	1941-44	4.40%
500,000	City of San Francisco	4½'s	1933-69	4.50%
300,000	Long Beach School	5's	1945-59	4.50%
10,000	Burbank School	5's	1950-52	4.50%
10,000	City of San Diego	5's	1936-45	4.50%
25,000	Los Angeles Flood Control	5's	1960-63	4.55%
40,000	City of Redondo	5's	1931-50	4.70%
33,000	L. A. Sanitation Dist. #1	5½'s	1931-41	5.00%
76,000	L. A. Sanitation Dist. #2	5½'s	1931-56	5.00%
10,000	L. A. Sanitation Dist. #5	5½'s	1935	5.00%
10,000	Los Angeles M. I. D. #36	5's	1962	5.00%
14,000	Los Angeles Drainage Dist. #22	6's	1938-40	5.25%
EASTERN MUNICIPALS				
$ 50,000	City of Philadelphia	4¼'s	1976	4.30%
500,000	City of New York	4½'s	1940-79	4.30%
500,000	City of Detroit	4½'s	1940-59	4.35%
50,000	City of New Orleans	4½'s	1962	99½
100,000	New York Port Authority	4½'s	1948-62	4.75%

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Service Corporation of New Jersey

Directors of Public Service Corporation of New Jersey has declared dividends as follows:
Preferred No. 90 on Common Stock
Preferred No. 44 on 8% Preferred Stock
Preferred No. 28 on 7% Preferred Stock
Preferred No. 6 on $5.00 Preferred Stock
Preferred Stock, being $2.00 per share on the 4% Preferred Stock, being $1.75 per share on the 7% Preferred Stock, being $1.25 per share on the $5.00 Preferred Stock, being 40 cents per share on the Common Stock for the quarter ending December 31, 1929. All dividends are payable January 31, 1930, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 2, 1929.
Dividend No. 6 on Cumulative Preferred Stock for the period from December 1 to December 31, 1929, inclusive, payable on the last day of each month.
F. W. Van Middlesworth, Treasurer.

Service Electric and Gas Company

Preferred No. 22 on 7% Preferred Stock
Preferred No. 20 on 6% Preferred Stock
Directors of Public Service Corporation of New Jersey has declared the regular dividend on the 7% and 6% Preferred Stock of this Company. Dividends are payable January 31, 1930, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 2, 1929.
F. W. Van Middlesworth, Treasurer.

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Merchandising Forecasts Bright for Year

EXPANSION BY MERGERS SEEN

Filene Predicts More Real Consolidations

BY EDWARD A. FILENE

The new year promises to be one of real business progress, as it will be a year of continued elimination of much so-called business which is not real business.

Of course, expansion will go on. There will be more and more real mergers. But they will be mergers based on the newly discovered principles of business as a service, instead of on the traditions of profiteering.

They will insist upon lower and lower prices, not merely because competition will demand it, but because low prices are necessary to secure the greatest possible market, and such a market is necessary to insure the most economical production and hence the greatest total profits to the producers. Likewise, and for the same reasons, they will insist on higher and higher wages, which will serve, in the first place, to increase production (for higher wages must be based upon higher production brought about through more scientific methods, instead of through the played-out system of "speeding up" the workers,) and, in the second place, in increased purchasing power by the masses and a further extension of the great market which mass production demands.

This increased buying will, of course, increase employment. Nevertheless, we must expect a constant elimination of industrial and commercial establishments which fail to employ up-to-date scientific principles and the gradual enlisting of America's man power in those organizations which are scientifically managed. Mergers which do not understand that mass production means production for the masses and hope to achieve great profits through mere size are likely to experience some disillusionment, and if they do not make a fundamental correction of their bad thinking their securities are likely to fail.

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EXPERTS IN RETAIL FIELD

Forecast Trade Increase in 1930

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Swift Sees No Change in Conditions Which Have Made Prosperity

BY LOUIS F. SWIFT
President Swift & Co.

I think the conditions which have made for prosperity during the past several years are still with us, and I do not look for any serious depression in 1930.

The moderate recession which started last summer and was extended somewhat by the recent reductions in stock prices may continue to some extent. On the other hand; the resulting declines in interest rates will do much to steady the situation and lay the foundation for recovery. Also, farm income promises to be larger this year, and this will help.

Apparently the supplies of cattle, hogs and sheep will be about as large in 1930 as they were in 1929. This will mean a good overage volume of business for the packing industry, and I look forward to the new year with confidence.

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Utility Plans Huge Outlay

BY THOMAS McCARTER
President Public Service Corporation of New Jersey

Operating companies controlled by the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey have announced intention to proceed during 1930 with a constructive program that involves the expenditure of approximately $41,000,000, a sum about $2,000,000 in excess of the amount spent for construction in 1929, and which has been exceeded by but one construction budget in the history of the organization.

The company's determination to proceed with their plans for improvement and expansion was based upon the judgment of their management, that there was nothing in the general business and industrial situation that threatened to seriously interfere with the progress of the country, and especially that section of the country in which public service companies operate.

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ADVERTISERS BOOST BUDGET

Outlay for National Displays Up $20,000,000

BY C. KING WOODBRIDGE
Chairman of Council, International Advertising Association

If outlook means what is seen by an observer, we may be assured that in 1930 advertising will be in evidence in greater expanse than any previous year. While it is true that in America the yearly expenditure for advertising has been quite authentically estimated at $1,500,000,000, this amount alongside the billions done in trade in no way suggests that advertising has yet been used to its fullest capacity as an economic force in the promotion of business and worth-while projects.

Looking to the practical, two strong statements concerning advertising in America appeared in December: The president of the Association of National Advertisers reported at the national business survey conference at Washington that 240 national advertisers will spend in 1930 $30,000,000 more for advertising than in 1929. The Curtis Publishing Company reported advertising booked for 1930 for its three publications is 10 per cent greater than that booked at the same time last year for 1929.

Business enterprises have agreed that advertising, like raw material, labor and salesmanship, must be used to complete the operation of moving products from the source of making to the consumer who buys.

The avenues of communication for advertising have been widened and increased. The speed has gone from oxcarts to airplanes, from foot messages to telephone, telegraph and radio, from the town crier to the newspapers, magazines, billboard posters, direct mail and the movies. The dispatch and sureness of the means available to tell people what we have, that will benefit them through purchase and use, makes the entire world of people see and think about the same things almost at the same moment.

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ROSY ERA SEEN BY ECONOMIST

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earnings, the earnings plowed back amounted to 11.2 per cent.

INVENTIONS FACTOR

During the whole period since 1922 the wholesale scrapping of old equipment and installation of new machinery and inventions have been accomplished with the increase of prosperity because corporations have become more and more hungry for money to exploit the future. All these new inventions required added capital and the stockholder has had to forego a large part of his dividends in consequence, while the rate of plowing back has increased since 1927.

Excluding railroads and utilities, the manufacturing and trading companies revealed in the third quarter of 1929 a gain of 15 per cent over the same quarter of 1928 and of 26 per cent for the full nine months over the corresponding months of 1928.

That is an increase in profits at a greater rate than the increase in stock prices, even during its record climb of 1928 and 1929, until the recession beginning in September.

The corporation earnings bulletin of Ernst & Ernst for the first nine months of 1929 showed that the net earnings of 371 industrials were 27.04 per cent higher than for the corresponding nine months of 1928; of utilities, 17.48 per cent higher, and of railroads, 17 per cent higher.

These earnings increased at a faster rate during 1929 than the level of stock prices. This is a prime reason for the increased price level of stocks in 1929 over 1928 and helps justify the conclusion that stocks were not so much too high as commonly thought.

All this increase in earnings and prosperity of business has told in favor of increased demand from the mass of consumers, better proportioned to the increase of the well-directed productive energies of the nation. From this added demand further profits were reaped. During the long bull market there was the record of increased real income, while plowed-back earnings gave earnest of future values resident in the productive and consuming plant of the nation that were properly reflected in a heightened level of stock prices.

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SOUTHWEST BUSINESS OUTLOOK PROMISING

Business in the Southwest for the next year will compare favorably with 1929, C. E. Johnston, president of Kansas City Southern Railway, stated in his 1930 forecast. He does not look for any boom but anticipates a steady continuation of prosperous conditions enjoyed for the past twelve months.

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WOOLLEY SHOWS HOW NEW CONSTRUCTION AFFECTS PROSPERITY

BY CLARENCE M. WOOLLEY
Chairman, American Radiator and Standard Sanitary Corporation

It is agreed by thoughtful observers of business that the activity of the building industry is one of the most important influences affecting general prosperity. President Hoover, a practical economist, with a broad view, took the most effective step possible to forestall serious business depression when he secured the promises of business men to proceed with new construction which they had planned for some time in the future.

C.M. WOOLLEY

When the construction industry is active, it employs directly about 2,500,000 wage earners. An additional 2,000,000, in round figures, are then engaged in producing and transporting the materials used in construction.

Building activity gives this considerable part of our population the ability to buy freely the multitude of products still other millions produce. When the industry is active it accounts for from $7,000,000,000 to $8,000,000,000 of the nation's business. Between 12 and 15 per cent of all freight tonnage consists of construction materials.

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JANUARY INVESTMENTS

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"BOND PRICES ARE MOVING UP"

FOR the first time in years, leading financiers, business men and writers unite in saying that the bond market is on a definite upward trend and that it provides excellent opportunities for yield and profit. A sharp increase of 2½ points in average prices of 40 high-grade bonds since November 1st, substantiates their opinions.

In the words of Roger Babson, "Bonds are bought primarily for income or yield. Not since 1921 has there been such an opportunity to make sound investments at a high income return. While bonds are not ordinarily purchased for appreciation, they do offer prospects of substantial appreciation."

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Chain Store Business

Unaffected by Depression

ALTHOUGH the records show that the business of chain store companies does not suffer in periods of business depression, chain store stocks have not been immune from the recent drastic price decline which swept through the securities market. As a result common stocks of chain store systems which have had a record of continuous growth and prosperity are now available at prices which we regard as attractive for long-term investment.

No type of business is so inherently sound and stable as that of merchandising chains. It is a business which is practically unaffected by any conditions which might result from a depression in the securities markets or from a business reaction. Chain store companies, especially the food, drug, and five-and-tens, really thrive during temporary business depressions because such chains deal in every-day necessities at prices which mean a saving to the consuming public.

One has but to examine the past records of the leading chains to be convinced of the opportunities presented by the purchase of common stocks of the strong chain systems at present levels.

The standard chains have weathered the fluctuations in the purchasing power of the dollar over a period of twenty years and have enjoyed a record of continuous and uninterrupted growth in both sales and profits. The year 1929 promises to establish new high records. Many of these chains have developed into national, and even international, institutions.

Chain store grocery and food companies are engaged in a business which represents the basic means of human existence. Because of this fact and because they render this means on an economic basis, their continued increasing prosperity is assured. The other chains dealing in necessities should also continue to grow and prosper as they have done in the past. Their economic methods in purchasing and their scientific methods of distribution permit of the sale of merchandise at substantial savings to the consuming public.

We recommend at this time the purchase of standard chain store preferred and common stocks for permanent investment and will be pleased to make definite suggestions upon request.

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Movement for Consolidation of Carriers Stimulates Controversy Among Expert

RAIL MERGER REPORT ONLY TENTATIVE STEP

Commission's Plan Marks Headway but Final Solution Still to Come, Says Expert

BY WILLIAM J. CUNNINGHAM
Professor of Transportation, Harvard University

While the celebrated O'Fallon case was before the Supreme Court those who awaited the decision hoped that most of the moot points in valuation would be settled when the court spoke. They were disappointed. The decision was a miles.one in progress but the end of the road is not yet in sight. Likewise a large proportion of those who have been anxiously awaiting the long-delayed plan of the Interstate Commerce Commission for consolidation now find that the report, released in time to upset plans for the Christmas holidays, is, to use the words of Commissioner Eastman, nothing more than a "procedural step."

The plan, final in name only, was nearly ten years in the making. It was in February, 1920, that Congress directed the commission, by the Transportation Act, to prepare such a plan "for the consolidation of the railway properties in the continental United States into a limited number of systems." It is conceivable, indeed it is probable that another decade or more will have passed before this or any other final plan is executed.

In the meantime, the whole subject once more is wide open. The master minds among the railway executives are ready to battle for their individual advantage; the State commissions are preparing to safeguard their interests, and the individual communities are looking to their transportation experts to support or protest this or that feature according to its possible effect upon their transportation advantage. There will be another carnival of committee reports, public hearings and extrajudicial debate.

FEW SUPPORTERS SEEN

The new plan as a whole is likely to have more objectors than supporters. Even those systems or communities that have been awarded a large part of that which they sought, find additions and subtractions not to their liking. The Van Sweringens and the Baltimore & Ohio appear to have fared well, but the proposal for the fifth trunk line may not suit them. The proposed Wabash unification is approved, but Chairman Williams is not likely to be enthusiastic about the unsought Christmas present of the Seaboard Air Line. Loree appears to have been left out in the cold with the key railroad of his system alloted to the Boston & Maine. The cherished hopes of the Great Northern-Northern Pacific have been given a rude jolt. The New York Central additions appear to be mainly in short lines of the "weak sister" class. The same is true of the Pennsylvania, but its relation to the Wabash system is not yet clear. In New England the proposal for two regional systems satisfies neither those who espouse the idea of one regional system nor those who believe in trunk-line affiliation.

As a whole the reception of the plan has not been cordial, but in one respect at least progress has been made. The interested parties now know what they did not know before. The commission has acted affirmatively in indicating the character of the combinations it will approve.

DRAMATICS OF SITUATION

The general public is singularly interested in the dramatics of the situation. In the present cast of the railroad drama consolidation as one character is accorded the leading role and enjoys altogether too much of the spotlight. Because of the human interest in the strategy and tactics in contests between the transportation giants and because of stock market implications the general public as well as the financial group are too much engrossed in the speculative aspects of consolidation and too little concerned about other transportation problems of greater importance. The incidental features of consolidation are clothed with significance far beyond that which is justified and the real purpose is seldom mentioned.

The ultimate aim of consolidation is to simplify the mechanics of rate-making so that uniform rates in any region may yield fairly uniform rate of return to each of the few systems of nearly equal financial strength instead of widely varying returns to the many of all degrees of strength. Consolidation is intended to solve the problem of the weak road. That is indicated by the large number of small properties, many of them with unfamiliar names, which have been assigned to such systems as the New York Central and Pennsylvania.

ECONOMIES OVEREMPHASIZED

The possibilities in economies through consolidation are usually overemphasized. They are likely to be as disappointing here as they were in England. The degree in which operating costs may be re-

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EXPANSION FOR NEW YEAR VISUALIZED

Principal Figures in Different Fields Look Ahead

RUSSELL H. BALLARD — JOSEPH WILSHIRE — ALBERT R. ERSKINE

BALLARD TELLS EDISON PLANS

Southern California Utility Charts Year Course

BY R. H. BALLARD
President Southern California Edison Company

The Southern California Edison Company, with the beginning of 1930, will enter the second year of a definite five-year program of physical and commercial expansion. The program, in so far as the coming year is concerned, has been unaffected by market fluctuations that have marked the closing months of 1929. The course charted for the next twelve months is one of greater activity, rather than of recession.

The construction program for 1930, calling for expenditure of a budget of $23,488,662, as against $18,000,000 in 1929, will provide principally for distribution extensions and new business reinforcements to care for an increase of approximately 15 per cent in connected load.

The company will close the present year without notes payable and with approximately $3,000,000 of cash available to apply on 1930 construction. In order to furnish additional funds to complete the 1930 budget, rights will be offered to original preferred and common stockholders on the usual basis of one new share at par for each ten shares held. This will provide $7,000,000. The sale of preferred stock and bonds will complete the balance.

A 10 per cent increase in gross revenues for 1930 is confidently expected by the company, and net earnings allowing for voluntary reductions in lighting rates, effective November 1, last, and in industrial rates, effective January 1, next. Earnings from 350,000 horsepower of new business, which will be the approximate total contracted for during 1929, will be reflected in 1930.

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EARL D. BABST

Capital to Build

BABST SEES SUGAR USE INCREASING

American Refining Head Reports Industry Now on Healthy Basis

BY EARL D. BABST
Chairman, American Sugar Refining Company

The sugar refining industry has not been affected by conditions in the stock market. Outstanding contracts of customers are at the low point of the year. Inventories of customers are light, as is usual during this period. Business is on a healthy day-to-day basis and collections are good.

The melt of refiners and their distribution of refined sugar for the eleven months of the year are somewhat ahead of a year ago, notwithstanding the large distribution of beet sugar, corn sugar and white sugar importations from the tropics, leading to the belief that there has been an increase in actual consumption.

The American Sugar Refining Company, with its rehabilitation program completed, is operating at increased efficiency and showing good earning power with dividends being earned and paid on its preferred and common shares. Its current position is strong and liquid.

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INDUSTRIAL DEMAND FOR GAS INCREASES

The use of gas in industrial heating has increased more than 500 per cent in the past fifteen years, and it is estimated that approximately 300,000 workers are now employed in the gas-heating departments of the nation's industries. It is extensively used in forging and galvanizing, for steel hardening and tempering, in lead and silver refining, in glass making, in lumber drying in baking and in many other industries.

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LARGE GAIN SHOWN IN NEW TELEPHONES

During the first quarter of 1929, a total of 255,000 new telephones was added to those in use in the United States, so that on April 1 there were more than 19,986,000 telephones in use. It is estimated that there is a total of 33,259,000 telephones in the world, of which approximately 28,200,000 are capable of connection with the Bell system in the United States.

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FRISCO RAIL PLANS LARGE EXPENDITURES

General conditions are favorable and while there is some falling off in business, it is mostly due to seasonal slump and weather conditions, according to J. M. Kurn, president of St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Company. Earnings in 1930 will depend largely on crop conditions, he added. The company is ordering for delivery in 1930 equipment costing approximately $12,000,000 and new steel rails amounting to $2,000,000.

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FOOD COMPANY IN EXPANSION

Standard Brands Plans New Year Program

BY JOSEPH WILSHIRE
President Standard Brands, Inc.

The outlook for a normal increase in business for the year 1930 is very satisfactory. From all I can gather, expansion programs in various lines of business will be put through on schedule and this in itself is the best evidence of the confidence felt in business next year. Conditions are fundamentally sound.

The expansion program for Standard Brands, Inc., for 1930 is more elaborate than any we have undertaken in the history of our various products. This applies to sales, advertising and increased distribution facilities. As president I would not recommend, nor would our board of directors approve, such a program unless we all felt it thoroughly justified, not only by important economies achieved in merchandising and distribution through our system of direct deliveries to dealers but also by the outlook for business next year, which we feel is most promising.

What is true of our business is certainly true of all food industries and true, I believe, of all essential lines of business.

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GIANNINI SEES SANER REASONING

Noted Banker Looks for Sounder Thinking Upon Business Facts

BY A. P. GIANNINI
President Transamerica Corporation

The biggest thing that we will have during the coming year is sounder thinking. Industrial and commercial prosperity are things that everybody wants to see, but they are results, rather than causes. Straight, hard-headed thinking is the real power back of economic progress. People are going to be more concerned with measuring values, studying business trends and examining balance sheets.

A. P. GIANNINI

Merchants and manufacturers will give more thought to methods of operation, to plant or store efficiency, to the essentials of efficient organization and investors will want to know more about securities before they decide to purchase.

That these factors will have a direct and beneficial bearing on the course of business is beyond question. A tightening up of the reins is always effective after a period of general laxity and indiscretion. The fact that a higher degree of intelligent thinking is already on its way is the best insurance that could be asked as protection against undue troubles in 1930.

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Shattuck Plans Expansion for Retail Outlets

BY FRANK G. SHATTUCK
Chairman Frank G. Shattuck Co.

Business of our company has been practically unaffected by the recent decline in stock values. Even in periods of business uncertainty, the history of our company shows that sales have increased each year.

I firmly believe that those concerns which are operating in a sound manner, with excellent quality merchandise, fair prices, first-class service and a firm desire to fill the needs of their customers, will show, during 1930, an increase in business and profits.

Expansion programs in some lines of business will, no doubt, be slowed down to some extent, but will continue in a more substantial, conservative manner. I believe, however, that prices of real estate will become more favorable and offer more opportunities for expansion to those concerns which require numerous locations. Our expansion has been somewhat handicapped in the past because of high cost of real estate, but it is our plan to increase our retail outlets and to expand our wholesale business considerably during 1930.

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MELLON SIGHTS TRADE REVIVAL BY SPRING AND YEAR ONE OF PROGRESS

BY ANDREW W. MELLON
Secretary of the Treasury

Forecasting the future course of business can never be done with any certainty that it will be borne out by subsequent events. No one can fully appraise the complex forces which are always at work and it is hazardous to attempt doing so.

A. W. MELLON

I see nothing, however, in the present situation that is either menacing or warrants pessimism. During the winter months there may be some slackness or unemployment, but hardly more than is usual at this season each year. I have every confidence that there will be a revival of activity in the spring, and that during the coming year the country will make steady progress.

In the credit situation the trend of money rates is downward. There is plenty of credit available and we have reason to expect that the rates for new capital in building construction and expansion will be such as to facilitate the promotion and accomplishment of new undertakings. Statements from the executives of railroad, public utility and industrial concerns during the President's recent conference were, almost without exception, to the effect that their expenditures for new construction and expansion in 1930 will be as much or more than in 1929.

The government's finances are in a sound condition, which warrants the cut in taxes, and the government, itself, is in a position to do its part in helping the country to meet and solve the problems which are ahead.

AUTO TRADE TO RECOVER EARLY

Studebaker Chief Forecasts Speedy Rebound

BY ALBERT RUSSEL ERSKINE
President Studebaker Corporation and Chairman Pierce-Arrow Motor Car Company

Contrary to an opinion which seems to be quite generally held, the decline of stock market prices in October and November did not initiate the present lull in the automotive industries and the greater activity, which can be anticipated with certainty within a few weeks after the turn of the year, will not be greatly dependent upon trends in the security markets.

While the debacle of stock prices did intensify the usual seasonal slowdown, that effect is already passing out of the picture.

The industry has its problems fully in hand and has made preparations for a large volume of business in 1930. Good business is certain because automobile manufacturers are selling transportation. The demand for it is increasing much more rapidly than our population because of the decentralization of industries and of residence which is now so evident.

With our cities broadening out into vast suburban rings, with population scattering and horse-drawn transportation, both of passenger and freight, now rapidly disappearing, the demand for automotive transportation is accelerated by physical conditions, largely independent of states of mind caused by financial fluctuations.

The replacement demand for automobiles, of course, increases as the need for automotive transportation becomes greater.

Studebaker's view of prospects for 1930 has already been expressed in deeds. The new Erskine, which will appear at the New York Automobile Show in January, is one evidence of our belief that 1930 will be a far better year than 1929.

Pierce-Arrow, with an output of 10,000 cars for 1929, compared with a previously yearly high record of 6043, has earned $2,500,000 net this year, and that will be doubled in 1930.

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Business Sound, Asserts Banker

BY F. L. LIPMAN
President Wells Fargo Bank and Union Trust Company

The movement from inflated stock prices toward actual values, the return of thousands of people from absorption in speculation back to their own business, must be a good thing, and not a bad thing, in the long run.

Meanwhile legitimate business—that is, production and manufacture and distribution—is sound; there are no considerable stocks of goods that would be likely to exceed demand and become distressed merchandise. Therefore adjustments brought about by the stock market deflation should be temporary and without serious effects.

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ERIE PRESIDENT SEES RECOVERY

Smaller Inventories Seen as Boon to End Depression in Short Order

By C. E. DENNEY
President Erie Railroad

Earnings of railroads in 1929 showed a marked improvement over 1928 to the last ten days of October, and the slump which then came was so late in the year that it will not offset the relative gains made in the first ten months.

The absence of larger inventories will, in my opinion, be of great benefit in shortening the period of depressed business. Following periods of depression in the past, it was possible to resume operations with relatively small purchases to complete stocks, the amount on hand being a considerable percentage of the total required.

If the country is as fundamentally sound as I think it is, the gross earnings of the railroads in 1930 should approximate those of 1929.

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GOOD YEAR FOR AUTO PREDICTED

Willys-Overland Sees Large Order Replacements

BY L. A. MILLER
President Willys-Overland

I think that 1930 will be a good automobile year, because the cars built in 1930 and the

L. A. MILLER

same profits, and 1930 a record year for earnings. Companies will make a good showing in 1930 than in 1929 because they will have an opportunity to put and place their initial helpful sales policies for the discontinue those policies have been destructive.

I have the feeling that 1930 will mark a big change for the better in the industry.

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GOOD YEAR FOR AUTOS PREDICTED

Willys-Overland Head Sees Large Orders for Replacements

BY L. A. MILLER
President Willys-Overland Company

I think that 1930 will be a good automobile year, because most of the cars built in 1923 and 1924 (the excellent years) will be ready for replacement. Then, too, economic conditions in business, for the country at large and trucks, including Canada, foreign and overseas export business, should at least equal this year's business, which will be in excess of $1,000,000,000.

L. A. MILLER

With [illegible] cars and trucks [illegible] less in 1930 than in 1929, we should see about the same profits, and 1930 will be a record year for earnings. Some companies will make a much better showing in 1930 than in 1929 because they will inaugurate more helpful sales policies for dealers or discontinue those policies which have been destructive.

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otor Leaders Look to Automobile Show as Barometer of Sales

REPLACEMENTS RELIED UPON BY CAR MAKERS

"They Will Not Walk," is Answer of Manufacturers to Skeptics on Industry's Future

BY ALFRED REEVES
...l Manager National Automobile Chamber of Commerce

...ublic interest and good will are the basis of financial success. ...ohn Pierpont Morgan was famous for lending money to men primarily on their character and ability.

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...third feature which has de... great importance during the ...years is that of Inter... Day, which, brings motor ...to America from the thirty-...countries of the world. ...is stated that 1,000,000 cars of ...design are sold abroad ...and you will grasp some... of the significance of this ...merchandising day to rep... from other lands.

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...idea has been expressed be... whenever I hear any one ...is going to be the future ...motor industry, I am re... of the statement of the au... manufacturer who said, ...will not walk."

...of us who live in New York ...may think that it is possible ...the subway and electric ...exclusively. Those services ...never, loaded to the limit ...move the bus systems, the ...the motor delivery trucks ...200,000 private cars and ...will have left a city which is ...in also paralyzed.

...imagine that some of our ...cials might welcome this ...from traffic congestion for a ...month at any rate and it ...not do our commuting pop... any harm to walk a mile ...back and forth to the rail... station every evening, though ...anticipate that this vol... exercise would be welcomed.

Motor vehicle manufacturers, dealers and their employees, as well as the general public attending the automobile shows in New York and elsewhere, become conversant with the latest, the newest mechanical improvements and serve to spread information by conversation and correspondence to all parts of the country. Buyer interest is thereby aroused.

Another feature which has developed great importance during the last few years is that of International Automobile Day, which, brings motor visitors to America from the thirty-odd foreign countries of the world. It is estimated that 1,000,000 cars of American design are sold abroad each year, and you will grasp something of the significance of this annual merchandising day to representatives from other lands.

CARS WILL NOT WALK

The idea has been expressed before, and whenever I hear any one say that it is going to be the future of the motor industry, I am reminded of the statement of the automobile manufacturer who said, "Cars will not walk."

Many of us who live in New York may think that it is possible to do the subway and electric railways exclusively. Those services are, however, loaded to the limit and remove the bus systems, the taxicabs, the motor delivery trucks and the 200,000 private cars and trucks that would have left a city which is already also paralyzed.

Can we imagine that some of our city officials might welcome this relief from traffic congestion for a month at any rate and it would not do our commuting population any harm to walk a mile or so back and forth to the railroad station every evening, though we anticipate that this voluntary exercise would be welcomed.

Certain patriotic citizens, bankers and thrifty New England temperaments have been prone to state that they are going to keep the old car, the old suit, the old shoes and the old everything else during the coming year. I do not expect this to happen. It is foreign to the American temperament and foreign to the principles of economics which have built up the country.

We have something like 28,000,000 motor vehicles on our highways at the present time. Some 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 of these, at the least, have reached the point where replacement of tires, new batteries, new brakes, etc., make it wiser economy to purchase a new vehicle rather than try to keep the old one running.

Cities in this country of more than 500,000 population own but 12 per cent of the nation's motor vehicles and more than 55 per cent are owned in communities having 10,000 population or less. That fact is fundamental to any discussion of the condition of the automobile business.

NO LOWER STANDARD

We who live in the metropolitan area may not wish to inconvenience ourselves by rising a half-hour earlier in the morning to walk to the train and getting home half an hour later at night (assuming we live in the suburbs), or we may use electric transportation entirely, depriving ourselves of motor trips to the golf club, to the beach and to other recreational grounds. We can turn backward in our standard of living to that extent.

But the man who lives in the small town, or the 6,000,000 people who live on farms, cannot go back to the days when the horse and wagon were the means of communication. These people cannot carry on modern twentieth century high-speed business in an 1890 gig.

That is the whole story of the automobile industry in a nutshell.

The production of considerably more than 5,600,000 motor vehicles in 1929 was higher than normal, due partially to the catching up with the slack when one major manufacturer was out of production. We must bear in mind that 4,500,000 cars a year is a satisfactory business, and we are approaching 5,000,000 annually as the new normal production.

With a minimum of 3,000,000 cars for replacement, the annual market of 1,000,000 vehicles abroad and the rapid increase in suburban life, the shows start off the new year facing a favorable condition.

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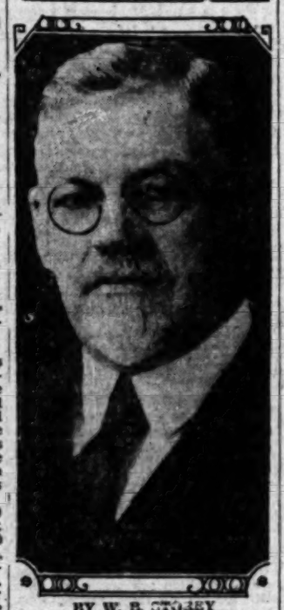
SANTA FE CHIEF LOOKS TO CROPS



BY W. B. STOREY
President Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe

While 1930 may fall somewhat behind 1929, at least in the earlier months, we look forward to a very fair year, particularly if there are good crops, for which soil and moisture conditions are now excellent.

The Santa Fe is now at work building 155 miles of new lines of railroad in Texas, and hopes shortly to secure authority from the Interstate Commerce Commission to build 380 miles more, extending over portions of the States of Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado and New Mexico; it is buying more than $18,000,000 of new cars and locomotives, and it will make about $24,000,000 of improvements on existing facilities during next year.

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PROSPECT IN RADIO FIELD HELD BRIGHT

Head of Grigsby-Grunow Expresses Optimism on Outlook for 1930

BY B. J. GRIGSBY
President Grigsby-Grunow Co.

Radio, being a new industry, has gone through the same throes as have been experienced by every major industry in the past.

B. J. GRIGSBY

The situation is bound to be a healthy one for the stronger manufacturers and the capable distributors and dealers who have found manufacturing and merchandising methods and experience and who are amply financed to carry on the business in the way it should be handled. This readjustment will, in my opinion, be accomplished very rapidly because of the present nature of the industry.

It would seem to be obvious that those manufacturers who will survive are those who are equipped to manufacture their products from raw materials and thus have control of their production.

While it is possible that sales of radio sets as a whole might decrease as much as 20 per cent in 1930, that decrease will be largely in the more expensive models.

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Continental Can Plans Expansion

BY CARLE C. CONWAY
President Continental Can Company

The recent expansion of our facilities, has resulted in widening the scope of the company's activities into new markets and new products. Our business in 1930 will benefit from the further development of these markets and products and from increased efficiency through realignment of facilities.

In 1928 and 1929 the acquisition and construction of new plants and the modernization of old ones materially improved our position as a complete and thoroughly integrated unit.

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DU PONT BACKS HOOVER POLICY

Company Will Continue Expansion Program

President Voices Confidence in the Future

Cheerful Forecast Based on Sound Conditions

BY LAMMOT DU PONT
President E. I. Du Pont De Nemours & Co.

In a time of great uncertainty, or when something has severely jarred the economic structure, as has happened recently, the prudent executive thinks ahead to determine what, if any, changes should be made in his program. It is clear that if every one continued business as usual and made no change in his program for the present or future, then the country as a whole would continue as usual, for the country's business is nothing more or less than the aggregate of individuals.

We have had conferences of economists, manufacturers, agriculturists and financiers. They have all agreed, and stated publicly, that they can see no reason for a great decline in business in the near future, for all business conditions are sound. The results of these conferences should give business executives confidence in the future and enable them to proceed with the revising of their programs along sane and reasonable lines. All programs are subject to continual revision, for plans are never finally completed until the work is done.

OUTPUT VARIED

E. I. Du Pont De Nemours & Co. is known as a chemical manufacturing concern, nearly all of its operations requiring some sort of chemical operation, but the field of products is very broad, running from dynamite for heavy blasting, or sulphuric acid (the most generally used heavy chemical) to fine toilet ware for the ladies' dressing table, or household cement for patching up the home bric-a-brac. Between these wide limits are a numerous variety of finished products for the consumers' use and semifinished materials to be used by others as raw materials. With a field of products as broad as this, one might feel that he was dealing with a cross-section of the country's production, but this is far from true, for corporate activities cover many things widely different from manufactured products, let alone chemical products; e. g., transportation, power and light and telephone.

EXPANSION PLANNED

In recent revisions of Du Pont company's program we have planned for very large increases in the productive capacity of certain items which recent experience has shown us to be in great demand, and have planned for moderate expansion in other lines which are stationary. No change whatever has been made in the policy, continued for years, of altering and building wherever substantial economies in cost of production, reduction of risk to employees or improvement in quality of product can be foreseen. I fully believe that this is a sane policy, and, having faith in the continued sanity of the American business man, believe that this same policy will be generally followed by executives of manufacturing lines.

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Cash Register President Sees Export Gains

BY FREDERICK B. PATTERSON
President National Cash Register Company

While there are certain definite economic trends in the business world as the year 1929 draws to a close, any industrial forecast of necessity must be pretty much a matter of guesswork, and accepted as such. Recessions come to business from time to time and give rise to speculation as to how far the pendulum will swing back.

Business conditions in the United States are now fundamentally sound, and judging 1930 by the yardstick of economics, we may feel reasonably sure that the coming year will see no alarming departure from the normal trend of things.

The National Cash Register Company during 1930 expects to see its overseas business gains reach a point where foreign business will equal domestic business. Every program charted for the coming year by our company we expect to carry out as contemplated.

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SWOPE EXPECTS STEADY GROWTH OF ELECTRICAL INDUSTRY IN NEW YEAR

BY GERARD SWOPE
President General Electric Company

The progress in the electrical manufacturing industry during 1929 has been very satisfactory in every direction. A new record of sales was established, the increase over 1928 being approximately 34 per cent. There has been a very substantial increase in the use of electric current in the homes and in every field of human endeavor. It is remarkable how this increase continues from year to year.

GERARD SWOPE

Distinct progress has been made in the initiation of plans for the electrification of railroads and we look forward to still greater development in this direction in the near future. Developments in electric appliances are proceeding at a rapid rate and new uses are constantly being found for electricity, which constantly widens the field of the electrical manufacturer.

With this expansion and development in the industry, we look with confidence to a satisfactory business throughout 1930, with adequate earnings and steady employment for labor.

EASY MONEY TO HELP BUILDING

BY R. G. DAHLBERG
President, the Celotex Company

I do not think the recent market break has anything to do with general business conditions throughout the country, which are excellent and likely to continue so unless industries are choked off by too costly money, at least that is the situation in the building industry, which for the moment has been suffering not by disinclination of people to build, but by temporary inability of builders to compete with call money on the New York market.

If the break, therefore, tends to ease general credits, the result on the building industry will be tremendously beneficial.

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ANGELENO UTILITIES TO EXPAND

Pacific Lighting Will Spend $14,000,000 in This Section

BY C. O. G. MILLER
President Pacific Lighting Corporation

All corporations formed for the purpose of supplying gas, electricity, water, etc., undoubtedly in 1930 will make capital expenditures necessary to properly serve new consumers and districts.

C. O. G. MILLER

Their business being affected less by excitement or general depression than any other, there is no reason to believe that the profits of public utilities will be smaller in 1930 than in 1929. Probably, as a whole, they will be larger, although some few individual companies may experience smaller profits either through reduction in rates or through some unusual local condition.

Money is plentiful here and gives promise of continuing to be so, the great decline in brokers' loans having released capital for general purposes. The prosperity, or the lack of it, in Europe will always affect business in the United States.

Pacific Lighting Corporation's subsidiaries supplying 870,000 customers with gas and electricity in the southern part of California, including the city of Los Angeles, will spend approximately $14,000,000 for capital expenditures in 1930.

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PROGRESS MADE IN RAIL FUSION

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duced through unification of facilities and equipment will vary with different combinations and in different sections of the country. It is conceivable that in such cases as the Great Northern-Northern Pacific and the Baltimore & Ohio there may be substantial savings, but the possibilities appear to be slim in such cases as the New York Central and the Pennsylvania. The additions to those systems in the main are in weak lines which presumably are now operated with rigid economy born of desperation.

The Boston & Maine, for example, cannot save a penny by operating the S. Johnsbury & Lake Champlain, the Suncook Valley, the Woodstock or the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn. The cost of running those properties is likely to be greater if they are merged with the Boston & Maine. As a matter of fact, the two properties first named were once leased lines of the Boston & Maine. When relinquished for independent operation, they were able to cut expenses below those incurred under the higher standards of the Boston & Maine. When a short line becomes a part of a large system the employees usually insist upon the higher wage scales and more favorable working rules of the large system, and higher standards of maintenance are considered necessary.

These and other considerations are probably overlooked by those who assert that consolidation will bring lower freight rates. Such an assertion does not rest on solid ground. Consolidation will make possible the more intelligent fixing of rates, but it is not likely to decrease the aggregate operating cost. It should equalize the return on value, save the weak lines essential to the communities served, and dislodge the superstrong from their position in the recapturable earnings class.

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Southern California leads the nation in airport construction, according to the Annual Midwinter Number, out January 2.

NORMAL UTILITY GAIN FORECAST

New York Edison Chief Sees Continued Growth

Country-wide Power Canvass Shows No Pessimism

Capital and Credit Turned to Aid Expansions

BY M. S. SLOAN
President New York Edison Company

There is every indication that the power and light business in 1930 will have its normal rate of increase. Saying that is equivalent to saying that general business may be expected to be good, because a decline in commerce and industry is directly reflected in declining sales of electricity. A country-wide canvass by utility executives shows no reason for pessimism, either in respect of our own business or business in general. Business is stronger than stock quotations.

The stock market crash did just enough harm to individuals and business so that a serious slump might have followed. President Hoover's prompt action in bringing together key executives in many lines has forestalled that. It has converted a natural feeling of depression into a feeling of confidence, based on the realization that earning power is unaffected, purchasing power need be only temporarily affected and business is healthy and can be kept so. The possibility of a slump has been converted into the probability of business activity somewhat above the recent normal. Construction enterprises of every nature will be pushed vigorously. Wages will not be cut and may be raised in some instances. Capital and credit will be more available for business purposes. If, in a few enterprises, sales fall below those of the last year or two, there will not be sufficient recession to affect them seriously or to show in the general levels of business.

The utilities have pledged themselves to a large expansion program. This will involve the raising of a considerable amount of new capital. They have no doubt of their ability to do this. They have no doubt their sales will increase. In the group of electric companies with which I am connected we expect in 1930 at least as large a percentage of increase as 1929 produced—approximately 12 per cent over the previous year.

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LATE RECESSION FEATURES YEAR

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31-4 to 5½ per cent. Time money was up from 41-4 to 9 per cent.

Conclusive indications that the recession will run its course soon come from the sharp reversal in money rates after the autumn market episode. Immediately commercial paper fell from 61-4 to 5 per cent, bankers' bills from 51-8 to 37-8 per cent, time money from 8 to 5 per cent and the rediscount rate from 6 to 4½ per cent. Money rates simultaneously have been falling the world over. This shows that the adverse money trend was wholly a stock market incident. It gives industry the stimulant most needed to pull it through recession to recovery.

HOOVER PIONEER

President Hoover's noble experiment in maintaining stability through expanding expenditures on public works is the first tangible effort by our government to revive business in a recession period. In 1908-1921 various organizations through "sunshine" movements endeavored by cheerful talk to restore confidence. These efforts were futile. It happens that the depressed construction industry is the one most likely to feel the benefits of the Hoover program if it is carried forward successfully.

Deflation of stock market credit has been impressively reflected in a 50 per cent cut in brokers' loans. Liquidation of speculative accounts at the brokerage houses has gone beyond the expectations even of the money authorities. To that extent the market has cleaned house in preparation for trading on a more sober basis. The reduction in brokers' loans would indicate that the market is no longer using credit belonging elsewhere.

Not so cheering a change is reflected in bank loans. Brokers' loans have been cut in half but the autumn brought no material change in member bank loans on securities. What happened is obvious. Loans to customers were increased at the banks in amounts roughly offsetting the shrinkage in loans to brokers. The explanation is partly that the banks took over many accounts from brokers, and partly that the banks did not press old customers for more margin so hard as the brokers did.

But control of the money market has been restored to the banks, and more particularly to the Federal Reserve System. Fortunately the system is in a position exceptionally strong. Even in the face of gold exports it need have no hesitation in pushing its easy money program. With the market's fever checked the reserve's objective now is to restore business confidence. That it can do. This makes even more certain a definite turn early in 1930 from a declining to an expanding industrial flow.

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Past Year on Los Angeles Markets Reviewed and Glimpse of 1930 Activities Given

LOS ANGELES MARKETS PREPARE FOR FUTURE

Facilities of Stock Exchanges Expanded to Meet Later Developments

BY DOUGLAS A. McKAY
"Times" Financial Staff

Los Angeles Stock and Curb exchanges, while failing to equal the record trading pace of 1928, are closing today one of the most progressive years in the history of California security markets. The volume of the year's business was estimated yesterday at about 20 per cent below the preceding year but at a total which is the second highest of any year on record.

Outstanding among the past year's events was the ground-breaking for the new Los Angeles Stock Exchange Building. Trading floors of both markets were enlarged during the year and when the new structure is completed it is expected that the curb will use the present floor of the senior market.

Other developments included the listing of a large number of new securities, most of which were issues of California corporations. In addition listing requirements were raised and greater restrictions placed designed to protect the interests of investors. Ticker wires were extended and clearing facilities expanded.

Seat prices reached new high levels and records for the volume of trading in any one day, week or month were shattered during the avalanche of prices last October. The average price of all shares on the senior market was raised in line with other major security markets by a ruling which required all shares excepting those of no-par value to have a par value of $10 a share or more.

Another feature was the founding of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange Institute. Membership in this institution, which is open only to exchange members, is reputed to be the largest outside of New York City.

BUSINESS ESTIMATED

Stock transactions on the two exchanges combined will reach an aggregate of about 54,000,000 shares having a market value of $632,300,000. While this is a decrease in volume of 20 per cent and a drop in value of 30 per cent from 1928 it is still far above the business transacted in any previous year. Although the curb began operations in June, 1928, the business of both exchanges is compared as a whole, since the curb was formed by members of the senior board and a large number of issues removed to it by the parent organization. Bond transactions were negligible in 1929.

During the month of October three trading records were shattered on the parent board. The largest volume for any one day was made on October 29 when transactions to the value of more than $10,000,000 crossed the board. The former record was hung up on the 24th of the same month or so-called "Black Thursday" when the sales reached a value of nearly $8,000,000. Transactions for the closing week of the month reached a value of $23,059,689 while the total month's business was valued at $72,291,000. In contrast, the value of November's business was $30,000,000.

MANY NEW STOCKS

Los Angeles Stock Exchange listed during the past year a total of fifty-four new issues representing forty-five companies whose securities came on the board for the first time. With a large number of additional listings by companies the securities of which were already on the board, the exchange approved for trading 50,039,398 shares in the course of the year. This compares with approximately 20,000,000 shares, approved for trading in 1928.

Security prices reached their highest level for the year on May 11, according to a price index of thirty common stocks of the parent board prepared by the research department of the exchange which used prices of January 31 as a base.

This index shows that the level of prices from January 31 dropped from 100 to 95.6 by February 16 and shot up to a high of 103.5 by May 11. In the second half of the year prices were at their highest on September 19 when the index registered 101.5.

SHOWCASE DIVIDEND PLANNED

Weber Fixture Directors Vote to Place Stock on Regular Basis

Directors of Weber Showcase and Fixture Company, Inc., have decided to place the company's common stock on a dividend basis, A. C. Boesmiller, vice-president, announced yesterday. After annual dividends of $2 per share are paid on the first and second preferred stocks, the common stock is entitled to receive up to $2 per share per annum. The directors will formally act on the dividend at a meeting scheduled for next week.

The company has completed such a satisfactory year that the directors felt justified in sharing a portion of the earnings with the common stockholders, Mr. Boesmiller said. This disbursement on the common shares will be the first since the present company was organized in August, 1927, to take over the predecessor corporation of the same name, which was established in 1903.

While the figures on earnings for the last half of the year are not yet available, Mr. Boesmiller stated that the net profits for this period would run fairly close to those reported in the first six months.

Net profits after all charges, but before Federal taxes for the six months' ended June 30, last, were $292,305.84, equivalent to more than three and one-half times the full year's dividend requirements on the 40,000 shares of first preferred stock which is listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange. This compared with $239,417.71 reported earned for the full year 1928, and represented an increase of $134,364, or nearly 90 per cent over the first half of 1928.

SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Pacific Coast investors today anticipated January 1 interest payments and placed the funds that will be available at the first of the year in the Montgomery-street market. Such was the judgment of financial observers who watched prices climb on the stock exchange while absorbing eleventh-hour tax selling in the volume of 85,374 shares. This buying represented placement of $2,552,390 in common and preferred stocks, against a mere $3000 in bonds.

Practically the entire list of recent speculative favorites shared in the brisk turnover. Transamerica led in volume, with around 12,000 shares, and Standard of California was second with 9000. Caterpillar, Pacific Gas, Richfield Oil and Byron Jackson Pump were other trading favorites.

Tax selling was believed to have been practically removed as a market factor at today's close. Profit tomorrow must be for cash to count on this year's tax statement. It was pointed out that some selling for 1930 tax purposes may crop up in January, to establish losses early against the new year's profits.

Irregularity characterized the action of all stocks. In no case was the net change as much as a point. Union Associates, Standard and Tidewater advanced a bit, Shell and North American slipped, and Richfield and Honolulu held steady. Greater optimism was noted in oil circles than at any time since production appeared to threaten drowning of voluntary curtailment plans in a flood of oil. The achievement of lowering output 21,000 barrels was the cause.

Late trading turned the balance of demand and supply in the utility list in favor of the sellers, as closing prices showed sales. Pacific Gas appeared in especial investment favor, advancing 1¾ at the close. Pacific Lighting and Pacific Public Service advanced fractionally, as Pacific Gas preferred lowered ½, and Southern Pacific Golden Gate B dropped a point.

Industrials forging ahead in the afternoon after doing nothing early in the day were Atlas Diesel and Home Fire and Marine, each up 1¼, and Byron Jackson recently much-ridden downward, up 1½. Illinois Pacific Glass lost 1¾, and Oliver Filters A lost 1. Marchant hit a new low at 17½, but rallied to close unchanged at 19. General Paint A lost 2 points. Other industrials were changed only fractionally.

Transamerica traveled about rather briskly, but got its share of reinvestment money, and at the close showed a gain of ½.

Trading in the last session of the year will stop at 1 p.m. tomorrow, and the exchange will remain closed New Year's Day.

Following is the official list of transactions today:

	Sales	High	Low	Last
Assoc. Inv. Fund	500	6¾	6¾	6¾
Atlas Diesel "A"	1,100	29	28½	28
Aviation of Cal	100	5¾	5¾	5¾
Bond and Share	500	11¾	11	11¼
Byron Jackson	2,000	16½	14¾	14½
California Copper	700	7	7	7
California Ink	200	30	30	30
California Pack	100	64½	64½	64½
Caterpillar Trac	3,000	51⅜	50¾	51⅜
Clorox Chem. Co.	400	26½	25¾	26½
Coast G.E. 1st pf.	15	98¼	98¼	98½
Com.s Chem. "A"	400	26	26	26
C. Zell. pfd. "A"	200	81¼	81	81¼
Do. pfd. "B"	100	80	80	80
Do. vtc. com.	2,000	17¼	17¼	17⅜
Food Mach. com.	100	40	40	40
Emporium Capw.	500	18¼	17½	18
Fireman's F. Ins.	10	100	100	100
F. & Kleiser cm.	200	7¼	7¼	7½
Gen. Paint "A"	400	21½	20	20
Golden St. Milk	800	29½	29	29
Home F.&M. Ins.	500	38½	30	30½
Hone. Cons. Oil.	400	32½	32	32½
Pont "A" com.	1,000	21¼	21¼	21⅜
Ill. Pac. Gl. "A"	500	19	18¼	18⅝
Investors' Assn.	500	40	40	40
Kolster Radio	2,000	4	4	4
L. A. G.&E. pfd.	100	107¼	107¼	107¼
Magnavox Co.	4,200	2	1¾	1⅞
Marnin Co. com.	1,100	21¾	21¼	21⅝
Merchant com.	1,100	10	9¾	9¾
Mkt. Ex. pr. pfd.	600	17	17	17
N. Am. Inv. com.	43	111½	111½	111½
No. Amer. Oil	1,000	13	12¾	12⅞
Oliver Filters 'A'	100	25	25	25
Do. pr.	100	24	24	24
Pac.G.E.6s 1st pf.	100	96¼	96¼	96¼
Do. com.	2,500	52¼	50¾	52¾
Pac. Light. pfd.	100	101½	100¾	101½
Do. com.	1,700	70¾	70¼	70¾
Pac P. Ser. "A"	200	30	30	30
Pac. T.&T. pfd.	10	115	115	115
Paraffine com.	200	25	24½	25
Rainier F. & P.	200	26½	26	26½
Richfield Oil pfd.	100	23¾	23¾	23¾
Do. com.	2,600	24½	23¾	24¼
S.J.L.&P.7% p. pf.		114½	113½	113½
Schlesinger pfd.	250	61	61	61
Do. "A" com.	9,200	10	10	10
Shell Un. Oil com.	100	23	23	23
S. F. G. & E.	400	13	13	13
Standard of Cal.	10,100	60¾	59¼	60
Stude. Aud.	100	12	12	12
Transamerica Co.	11,600	45¾	40¾	45¾
Union Oil Assc.	2,200	44	43	44
Union Oil of Cal.	1,500	44¼	44¼	44¼
Un. Sugar com.	200	5¾	5¾	5¾
W. Am. Fin. pfd.	400	2¾	2	2¼
West Coast Banc.	100	19	19	19
Transamerica rts.	4,100	7	6	6

NAVAL STORES

SAVANNAH, Dec. 30. (AP)—Turpentine firm, 47¾; sales, 39; receipts, 169; shipments, 433; stocks, 14,626.

Rosin firm; sales, 996; receipts, 647; shipments, 3584; stock, 17,072.

Quote: B, 6.75@6.90; D, 6.85@6.90; E, 6.90@6.95; F, 7.00; G, 7.05; H, 7.05; I, 7.05@7.10; K, 7.30; M, 7.40; N, 7.65@7.75; WG, 8.10; WW, 8.50; X, 8.95.

Naval stores market will be closed tomorrow and Wednesday.

Selection of Investments

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NATION'S TRADE SITUATION MAPPED

Business Generally Shown as "Fair to Good"

This map represents business conditions in every state in the Union as set forth in the January number of The Nation's Business, official publication of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

GREENE OPTIMIST ON YEAR

Editor of United States Chamber of Commerce Magazine Sights Favorable Signs

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Business at the close of the year in most parts of the country is described as "fair to good" by Frank Greene in his monthly business review in Nation's Business, published by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

After stating that there have been some recessions in trade and industry, Mr. Greene expresses the belief that the steps that have been taken to stabilize business will be helpful during the coming months.

Mr. Greene declares that November will be remembered for three important happenings: the culmination of the 1929 decline in the stock market; the launching of the Washington business conferences as a great experiment in psychology, and last, but not least, the sudden change from almost summer heat to winter cold, which greatly stimulated the demand for heavy wearing apparel, fuel and other products.

"The three happenings," he continued, "occurring on separate days, set in motion remedial forces which, operating in different ways, combined to restore sanity to the stock, grain and cotton market; to rally the forces of trade and industry and to set at rest the idea, common in earlier days, that a clash in the stock market of and by itself means a breakdown of business."

RECESSIONS ADMITTED

It would be idle to claim that there have not been any important recessions in trade or industry; the country, and the business and industrial communities, particularly, know better. But the action taken in big lines toward affording work and calling for great quantities of supplies of all kinds to be used in new construction, whether of railroads, highways, public utilities or other activities, will carry on many productive enterprises.

Of great, perhaps primary, importance in the furthering of plans for new work is the new face put upon the matter of raising the needed capital of billions of dollars. The release of billions of money locked up in stock market loans and the cutting of money rates in the past two months, this in some cases amounting to a halving of time loans, is a sign that capital will be available when, as and if needed for new construction.

There is nothing new in the returns from the iron, steel, automobile and building industries to the effect that operations have slowed down in all of these lines from the peak activities of last spring or summer.

Failures and liabilities alike decreased in November and the former are below recent years for the eleven-month period.

RUBBER DEMAND OFF

Rubber consumption fell 14.8 per cent from a year ago, while silk and cotton consumption exceeded a year ago in October by 15.1 per cent and 3.9 per cent, respectively.

Silk consumption reached a peak in August and cotton consumption as far back as January, last, with another rise in May.

Production of electricity reached a new high peak in October, when it increased 9.6 per cent over that of a year ago. Bituminous coal output in October exceeded the output of a year ago by a fraction of 1 per cent, coke production gained 9.5 per cent and cigarette output gained 12.9 per cent similarly.

Foreign trade still shows the largest totals since 1920 with imports gaining 9.5 per cent and exports 6.5 per cent over those of a year ago. Bank clearings and debits, mainly reflecting big stock speculation on the up and down sides, set up new high records for the year. Municipal bond sales are an exception in showing a decrease for the year of 8 per cent, whereas new corporate capital issues are 10.8 per cent above 1928 to date.

MAIL SALES UP

Mail-order houses in November gained 19.5 per cent over the like month a year ago as against a gain of 24.6 per cent in October. Last year there was a gain of 20 per cent in November over November of 1927. Chain-store sales show a 24 per cent gain over last year following an increase of 18 per cent in November, 1928, over 1927.

Department-store sales for November show an increase of 3 per cent over the like month a year ago, with a gain of 2.8 per cent for the year, this following a 1 per cent gain in 1928 over 1927.

Recent commodity price movements have shown a drooping tendency, the index numbers dropping quite noticeably in October and again in November, with most groups and most commodities outside of grain and live stock declining. The 1st inst. level for all prices was, in fact, about the lowest in five years, which may lead to some revision of so-called "stabilization" theories.

Wheat Futures Turn Lower on Heavy Selling

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Notwithstanding that the United States wheat visible supply today decreased 3,049,000 bushels, three times as much as many traders looked for, wheat values declined. Operating as a weight on values was the fact that export business in North American wheat was of scant volume, hardly 300,000 bushels. There was uneasiness also about indications of eleventh hour unwieldy big deliveries tomorrow on Chicago December contracts for rye, corn and oats.

Closing quotations on wheat were nervous, ¼c to ⅝c under Saturday's finish. Rye closed ⅝c to 3¼c down, corn ⅛c to 2⅛c off, oats showing ½c to 2⅛c drop, and provisions unchanged to a setback of 10c.

Unexpected sharp reduction of the domestic wheat visible supply total lifted the wheat market temporarily to above Saturday's closing prices, but the effect failed to last in the face of increased pressure to sell. Except during the transient bulge, speculative sellers of wheat had the advantage most of the time, and prices tended downward owing more or less to announcement of 2,432,000 bushels increase in the amount of wheat on ocean passage compared with a week back, although the new total, 28,864,000 bushels, was still far under the aggregate at this time last year, 54,384,000 bushels.

Notably heavy arrivals of corn in Chicago today, 917 carloads, against 239 cars a week ago, were generally taken as a sign that December corn contracts would be largely filled by tenders of loaded cars standing on railroad tracks here, and that the tenders would include a mass of kiln-dried No. 3 corn just brought to Chicago from Milwaukee. Prospects pointed also to liberal-sized track deliveries of oats tomorrow on December contracts.

Unusually big stocks of rye in Chicago, and the fact that tomorrow is the final day for settlement of rye dealings that have attracted widespread attention counted further as a disturbing influence as to cereals.

Provisions were easier on account of scattered selling.

RANGE OF PRICES

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	1.27¾	1.27¾	1.26¼	1.26½
March	1.32¾	1.32¾	1.31¼	1.32¼
May	1.36⅝	1.36½	1.35¼	1.35⅝
July	1.36⅜	1.36½	1.35⅝	1.36⅜
Corn—				
December	.89½	.89¼	.85¾	.86⅛
March	.93⅜	.93⅜	.92⅜	.92½
May	.95⅝	.95⅝	.95¼	.95⅜
July	.97¼	.97½	.97⅛	.97¼
Oats—				
December	.46⅛	.46⅝	.44½	.44⅝
March	.48⅛	.48½	.47⅜	.47⅝
May	.49⅝	.49⅝	.49	.49⅛
Rye—				
December	1.07	1.07	1.04¼	1.04⅝
WINNIPEG				
Wheat—				
December	1.40⅝	1.41¼	1.40¼	1.41⅜
May	1.46⅛	1.47⅜	1.46¼	1.46⅝
July	1.46⅛	1.46⅝	1.47⅛	1.47⅜
Oats—				
December	.61¼	.62¼	.60½	.60⅝
May	.65⅝	.65½	.64⅛	.64⅜
Rye—				
December	....	....	....	.94

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN

Wheat, steady to 1c higher; No. 3 red, 1.30½; No. 2, 1.28.

Corn, steady to 2c lower; No. 3 mixed, 84¼@84½; No. 6, 75@77; No. 3 yellow, 85@85½; No. 6, 75@77½; No. 4 white, 80½@83; No. 6, 75½@77½; sample grade, 65@76.

Oats, ½@1c lower; No. 2 white, 86; No. 4, 43½@44.

PROVISIONS

Lard—	High.	Low.	Close.
December	9.87	9.80	9.80
January	10.10	10.02	10.02
May	10.55	10.47	10.50
Bellies—			
December	....	....	11.37
January	11.55	11.50	11.50
May	12.20	12.15	12.13

NEW YORK GRAIN

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Wheat, spot easy; No. 1 northern spring, c.i.f. New York, 1.53⅝; No. 2 hard winter, f.o.b. New York, 1.37⅛; No. 2 Manitoba, do., 1.55⅝; No. 2 mixed durum, do., nominal; No. 2 amber durum, do., 1.37⅛.

Corn, spot easy; No. 2 yellow, c.i.f. New York, 1.04½; No. 3 yellow, do., 1.00½.

Oats, spot easy; No. 2 white, 87½.

WOOL MARKET

BOSTON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Moderate quantities 58-60s strictly combing territory wools have been sold at prices in the range of 80@82c scoured basis and manufacturers continue to show further interest in wool at this time. The major part of business reported for the past week, however, was on 64s and finer French combing and original bag territory wools, the receipts for week ending the 28th inst. amounted to 1,243,100 pounds as compared with 1,629,100 pounds the previous week.

Net Earnings of Reynolds Spring Advance Sharply

Consolidated net income of the Reynolds Spring Company for the third quarter closed September 30, last, was reported yesterday at $58,399 after depreciation and interest charges equal after preferred dividends to 11 cents a share on 495,200 common shares outstanding. Stock of the company is listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange.

This compares with $35,162 reported earned in the same quarter last year, equal after preferred dividends to 6 cents a common share on the same share basis, and represents an increase of $23,237 or more than 65 per cent. The earnings for the second quarter this year totaled $81,829 or 16 cents a common share.

The consolidated net income for the nine months closed September 30, reached a total of $186,050 after all charges, or 36 cents a share on the common after preferred dividends. This compares with $38,846 or 6 cents a common share reported earned in the similar period of 1928.

Local Steel Units Combine

Consolidation of the Brunner Steel Casting Company and the Kay Steel Wheel Company, operating two large plants, one in Los Angeles and the other in Alhambra, was disclosed yesterday in a permit issued by the State Corporation Department announcing the formation of the Kay Brunner Steel Products, Inc.

The new company has an authorized capitalization of 100,000 shares of no par value and has been permitted to issue 79,277 shares. Fred E. Peterson, attorney for the company, stated that there will be no public offering of stock at this time.

COTTON MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—The cotton market was very quiet today, but prices held fairly steady within a comparatively narrow range. Slight early advances on covering and a little trade buying were followed by setbacks under realizing or liquidation, but trade evidently found nothing in the day's news to stimulate interest in advance of the year's day adjustment.

The midafternoon market was holding around 17.39 for March, or about 1 to 2 points net lower.

RANGE OF PRICES

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Cotton futures closed:

	High.	Low.	Close.
January	17.13	17.09	17.11
March	17.42	17.36	17.39
May	17.84	17.80	17.81
July	17.81	17.76	17.81
October	17.80	17.75	17.81@17.82

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30.—Cotton futures closed steady at net declines of 5 to 6 points.

	High.	Low.	Close.
January	17.03	17.01	17.00@17.02
March	17.36	17.33	17.34@17.35
May	17.75	17.72	17.73@17.74
July	17.73	17.69	17.69
October	17.72	17.67	17.67@17.69

SPOT PRICES

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Spot, quiet; middling, 17.30.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30.—Spot cotton closed quiet, 3 points down. Sales, 622; middling, 17.01.

COTTONSEED OIL

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Cottonseed oil inactive. The January position was steadier on covering while most of the later months were easier, reflecting the heaviness in lard and coarse grains in absence of more than a limited interest. Total sales for the day were 4700 barrels and the close was barely steady at 3 points net advance to 5 decline. Prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, spot, 8.45c; January, 8.48c; March, 8.91c; May, 9.11c; July, 9.28c.

LOCAL GRAINS

All quotations nominal and subject to market fluctuations. Prices quoted are per cwt., field run, in carloads only.

Wheat—	
Milling	2.20 @2.35
Feed	2.25 @2.30
Corn—	
No. 2	1.92 @1.97
No. 3	1.87 @1.91
Barley—	
California sacked	1.60 @1.65
White maize—	
California sacked	1.80 @1.85
Kafir—	
No. 2	1.62½@1.67½
Millfeeds—	
White	1.70 @1.75
Red	1.65 @1.70

CAR RECEIPTS

Wheat, 14; barley, 11; corn, 27; oats, 1; milo, 1; kafir, 4; flour, 3; bran, 3; cereals, 10; alfalfa meal, 1; beans, 3; cottonseed, 8; beet pulp, 1; poultry feed, 2; coffee, 2; miscellaneous, 2; total, 93. Hay, 18.

Local hay quotations corrected weekly by Los Angeles Grain Exchange:

Imperial alfalfa (new,) f.o.b. Los Angeles ..... $6.00@27.00
Lancaster alfalfa ..... 20.00@29.00
Out hay ..... 22.00@23.00
Barley hay (new) ..... 20.00@21.00

RUBBER MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—On a moderate turnover futures at the rubber exchanges today gave a fairly good account of themselves, considering the dullness which has been prevalent in this market recently. The close was 10 to 20 points higher. Sales were 241 lots or 852½ tons.

Crude rubber stocks at London and Liverpool at the end of last week amounted to 73,319 tons and showed an increase of 739 tons over the figures of the preceding period. Trade had been expecting an increase of about 500 tons. London closed at 6d. Outside spot here closed ⅛c higher at 16c.

	Spot-	Jan.	Apr.-
	Dec.	Mar.	June
Smoked ribbed sheets..	16	16@	17
First latex crepe.....	17	....	..
Clean thin brown crepe	14	....	..
Amber No. 3	13	....	..
Para upriver fine	16	....	..

AIR STOCKS HOLD INTEREST

Southern California Investors Develop Outstanding Market for Aero Securities

BY K. W. SMITH
"Times" Financial Staff

Coincidentally with the rapid growth of the aviation industry in all its branches in the Los Angeles territory, the interest of Southern California investors in aircraft stocks has developed one of the outstanding markets for both listed and unlisted aero issues in the United States.

Trading in aircraft stocks on the Los Angeles Stock and Curb exchanges represents a substantial percentage of the total volume. At present the Los Angeles Stock Exchange has seven aero stocks listed while there are eleven on the Curb. Of the total eighteen companies whose issues are listed on the local exchanges, fourteen are concerns with plants or airports in the Los Angeles territory.

LEADERS NAMED

Among the more active aero issues on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange in the past year have been Aero Corporation of California, Douglas Aircraft, Maddux Airline and Western Air Express while on the Curb, Axelson Aircraft Engine, Bach, Fokker, Kinner, Kreutzer and Lockheed have been among the leading issues.

A number of other local aviation companies are close corporations, some of which are planning public distribution of their shares when they get their products on a production basis. Another group has successfully floated large issues of securities that have not been listed on any exchange as yet.

The progress made by the industry in this territory is shown by a recent survey which revealed a total of fifty-six airports and landing fields and twenty-nine producing plants with a 1929 estimated production of $20,000,000, as compared with $4,000,000 in 1928. More than 50 per cent of the aviation activity in California radiates from Los Angeles, while 33 per cent of the aviation industry of the United States as a whole is centered in Southern California.

OUTLOOK PROMISING

While the aviation industry has been passing through a period of comparative inactivity during the past few months, partly due to seasonal slackness, indications now point to a more promising outlook for 1930 than was anticipated several weeks ago. Inquiries being received by plane manufacturers in the Los Angeles territory are reported to be steadily increasing, while several of the aircraft engine companies have been requested to ship motors in advance of order dates.

The majority of the Los Angeles aero manufacturing companies are equipped with the most modern aircraft tools, are well-financed and have their affairs in good shape to meet competition and to push production as fast as the demand will permit.

Besides climatic advantages, the industry here will increasingly benefit from the export trade to Latin and South America which has already advanced to worth-while proportions. And the companies demonstrating they have the goods will not be handicapped in expansion for lack of capital because Southern California investors are keenly interested in the possibilities of aviation.

SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Raw sugar, 3.77; refined, 5.10@5.15.

Futures closed steady; approximated sales, 16,200 tons: January, 1.86; March, 1.97; May, 2.04; July, 2.10; September, 2.17.

BANK NAMES TEN BRANCH DIRECTORS

C. B. Voorhis Appointed to Los Angeles Unit of Federal Reserve

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—The Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, in conjunction with the Federal Reserve Board, today announced the reappointment of nine of the ten directors of the bank's five branches in the twelfth district. The only new director will be Charles B. Voorhis of Pasadena, who is to succeed W. L. Valentine of the Los Angeles branch.

All appointments are for two year terms beginning January 1. They follow:

Directors appointed by the Federal Reserve Board—Spokane branch: G. I. Toeva; Seattle branch, Charles H. Clarke; Portland branch, Nathan Strauss; Salt Lake City branch, Lafayette Nanchett; Los Angeles branch, Charles B. Voorhis.

Directors appointed by the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco—Spokane, D. W. Twohy; Seattle, M. A. Arnold; Portland, J. C. Ainsworth; Salt Lake City, Charles H. Barton of Ogden; Los Angeles, F. J. Belcher, Jr., of San Diego.

Credit Courses Scheduled for Local Society

Los Angeles Credit Men's Association, co-operating with the University of Southern California, will hold a series of twelve lectures relating to credit at university college, the downtown division of U.S.C., which will begin on the evening of January 8.

Walter E. Sykes, former banker and corporation executive, will head the evening course and thirty credit managers of Los Angeles, experts in their particular fields, will lecture before the group, according to the announcement issued yesterday. The opening class will be on credit and collections.

Topics to be discussed include interpretation of asset and liability items; analysis of useful significant ratios; organization of a credit department; collections and collection procedure; legal remedies of the credit man; adjustments, extensions, compositions, business service; receivership and bankruptcy; special protection for the credit relation; installment sales and collections; the commercial paper market and the note broker; factoring and the discounting of receivables.

CARLOT GASOLINE SLOW

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (Exclusive) Motor grade, 6 1-4 to 7 cents; kerosene unchanged at 41 to 43 cents. Water White, 4 1-8 to 4 1-4 cents; fuel oil steady, 24-26 gravity, 95 to 97½ cents.

DRIFT OF STOCK VALUES UNEVEN

Year-End Operations Feature of Trading

Short Covering Now Turns Prices Up

Total Turnover Largest Recent Session

NEW YORK, Dec. 31. (AP)—Trading for tax purposes was unusually small in today's session of stock market—the last session which regular transactions are made for that purpose—but were prompted to cover their commitments. Urgent selling by trading sent dozens of issues points. Trading was among largest volume in ten years, fers totaling 4,130,000 shares.

Tax selling was widespread, however, and dence were highly irregular. The lishing of losses to income was most pronounced number of issues traded lots of scores of inactive issues dumped overboard, and the ket is thin in such shape broke to new lows. The of issues traded was the since the frantic days of ber. Tax sales made tomorrow be for cash, as regular tions will not be started January 2.

Much of the short interest refrained from covering at the for the same reason that sons long of stock have been ing, that is, to hold down taxables during 1930. Some successfully refrain from their profits until after the the year will not be taxed until 1931.

SHIFTING FEATURE

On the whole, the session sented little more than the ing of balances in preparation the turn of the year. The news was not of a character to fluence the market. The filing voluntary bankruptcy petition been partially forestalled by recent market action of the which, between September early December had declined 12 to 2 1-2.

The New York Federal Bank's preliminary report department store sales in the York metropolitan area for first twenty-four days of was particularly interesting, ing an increase of about 2 over a year ago, which is better than hoped for. The November figures on trade, for this reserve however, showed clearly the of the recession. Sales were cent smaller than for the November, the largest decline June, 1928.

Credit conditions remained but rates held steady, with money unchanged at 4 per cent although funds were placed outside market at 4 1-2. $40,000,000 in loans was called, rates compare, however, with per cent at this time a year with 14 per cent asked in the side market.

UTILITIES LEAD

Utilities and electrical manufacturing stocks were in the forefront of the day's advance. American Foreign Power, Standard Gas, General Electric, Westinghouse, Electric, Columbia Gas, and Stone & Webster rising from 3 to 7 points.

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	City of Willow Glen 6%

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County of Los Angeles A. & I. No. 149 (Slauson Ave.)	6%
County of Los Angeles A. & I. No. 238	6%
County of San Diego A. & I. No. 43	6%
County of San Diego A. & I. No. 44	6%

Road District Improvement Bonds (1907 Act)

Los Angeles County R. D. I. No. 290	5½%
Los Angeles County R. D. I. No. 315	5½%

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKETS

(By the Associated Press.)

Carlot shipments of California fruits, compiled for the California Fruit Growers' Exchange from railroad passing reports, were announced as follows:

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

	Oranges.	Lemons.
December 27		
December 28-29	74	6
Season to date	143	83
Last season to date	3,371	739
	400	1,949

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA

December 27		
December 28-29	25	0
Season to date	89	6
Last season to date	4,002	98
	6,460	123

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

December 27		
December 28-29	0	0
Season to date	4	0
Last season to date	73	38
	463	38

The market for California oranges was easier on large sizes and steady on the balance at eastern and middle western auction centers yesterday. Lemons were lower in spots, but generally steady. There will be no sales tomorrow because of the holiday Wednesday.

Analysis of trading gave the following price range per box:

	ORANGES				LEMONS			
	Graded above choice.	Choice.	Graded above choice.	Choice.
New York	4.40@7.20	4.75@5.80	7.25@8.15	6.85@8.05
Boston	5.10@6.30	5.05@5.25	6.20@8.25	5.95@7.10
Chicago	4.50@7.25	4.65@5.95	7.25@8.35	6.30@6.35
Cleveland	5.20@6.50		7.00@7.65	6.65@6.95
Cincinnati			7.00@7.45	6.20@7.60
Philadelphia	4.80	4.45@4.70	7.00@8.45	6.20@7.60
Pittsburgh	4.10@8.75		6.10@8.00	5.25@6.70
St. Louis	4.40	5.05@5.85	7.80@8.75	7.00
Baltimore	4.10@5.95	3.30@5.75	8.25@8.60	7.25@8.60
Detroit			7.75	6.60
	4.35@6.25	3.25@5.20	7.75	7.00

Prices by size of Sunkist brand navel oranges were reported to the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, shippers, as follows:

	80s	100s	126s	150s	176s	200s	216s	252s	288s	324s
NEW YORK—										
Surebest, Cairns	4.80	5.05	5.65	6.45	6.80	7.00	7.05	6.95		
Terra Bella, Terra Bella			5.10	6.05	6.30	6.75	6.95	6.90	6.30	5.15
BOSTON—										
Exmaro, Lindsay	4.10	4.60	5.10	5.50	5.90	6.45	6.80	7.10	6.85	5.80
Sentinel Butte, Rose St		4.00	4.65	5.20	5.75	6.00	6.30	6.90		
CHICAGO—										
Paramount, Richgrove			5.10	5.85	6.65	7.25	7.65	7.80	7.80	7.25
Heart of Gold, Richgrove		4.30	4.85	5.65	6.45	6.80	7.00	7.00	7.00	7.25
Chimes, Lindsay		5.10	5.15	5.85	6.60	7.00	7.75	8.15	8.50	7.35
PHILADELPHIA—										
Terra Bella, Terra Bella	3.40	4.75	5.30	5.90	6.30	6.30	6.30	6.00	5.30	4.30
DETROIT—										
Big Tree, Terminus	4.00	4.15	4.85	6.00	6.80	7.30	7.50	7.85		
PITTSBURGH—										
Blue Label, Lindsay		3.75	4.60	5.60	6.00	6.00	6.10	6.30	6.10	
CINCINNATI—										
Our Brand, Highgrove	4.00	4.00	4.50	4.50	4.55	5.00	5.30	5.10	5.00	4.25
CLEVELAND—										
Gold Tex, Porterville		4.25	4.65	5.10	5.95	6.50	6.65	6.70	6.85	6.40
ST. LOUIS—										
La Mesa, Riverside			5.10	5.50	5.80	6.00	6.40	6.85	6.75	6.00

Carlot sales averages per box were reported to the California Fruit Growers' Exchange on its own brands and to the Associated Press on all others as follows:

BOSTON—Market higher on navels 25@50 and smaller, lower on balance; lower on lemons. Carlot sales: Fourteen cars oranges, three cars lemons. Florida carlot sales: Thirteen cars oranges, $4.60; four cars grapefruit, $4.35.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Exmaro, CC, Sunkist, Lindsay 5.85
Sentinel Butte, LM, Sunkist, Rose St. 5.10
La Golondrina, TC, Sunkist, Algoso.. 5.75
La Grulla, TC, Red Ball, Algoso.... 5.05
Sunflower, MOD, Pure Gold, Porterville 5.35
Blue Label, CC, Sunkist, Lindsay.... 5.45
4 Square, CC, Sunkist, Ranger..... 5.70
Malta, TC, Sunkist, Magnolia..... 5.45
Orange Cove, LM, Sunkist, Orange Cove 5.95
Health Giver, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay. 6.30
Health Giver, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay. 5.85
Elderwood, LM, Sunkist, Elderwood.. 5.85
El-pa-ho-Pe, LM, Red Ball, Elderwood 5.25
Genuine, LM, Sunkist, Elderwood.... 5.25

LEMONS

Bear, OK, Sunkist, Upland 7.35
Sub, OK, Red Ball, Upland 5.95
Fresco, CC, extra choice, Sanger..... 6.20
Bear, OK, Sunkist, Upland 7.30
Sub, OK, Red Ball, Upland 7.10
Quail, OK, Sunkist, Upland 7.05
Sea Gull, OK, Red Ball, Upland..... 6.60
Victor, OK, Sunkist, Etiwanda..... 6.35
Crest, OK, Red Ball, Etiwanda..... 6.35

NEW YORK—Market about steady on oranges; lower with good demand on lemons. Carlot sales: Thirty-three cars oranges, eight cars lemons. Florida carlot sales: Fifty-five cars oranges, $5.20; twenty-four cars grapefruit, $5.80; seventeen cars tangerines, $2.50.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Surebest, CC, Sunkist, Cairns 6.25
Tru Fax, TC, Sunkist, Terra Bella.... 5.90
Terra Bella, TC, Sunkist, Terra Bella 6.30
Gold of Ophir, BC, Sunkist, Thermalito 5.35
Victoria, RIV, Sunkist, Casa Blanca 6.25
Victoria, TI, RIV, Sunkist, Casa Blanca 6.00
Earlibest, CC, Sunkist, Citro 6.00
Mineral King, CC, extra choice, Citro 5.25
Mt. Whitney, TC, Sunkist, Success.... 7.20
Golden Trail, TC, Sunkist, Success... 6.45
Genuine, CC, Sunkist, Elderwood.... 5.80
Skyrocket, CC, Sunkist, Exeter..... 6.10
Sunny, JC, Sunkist, Ultra 6.60
Ultra, TC, Sunkist, Ultra 6.90
Earlibest, CC, Sunkist, Citro 5.95
Mineral King, CC, extra choice, Citro 5.15
Ambassador, CDC, first, Corona..... 6.00
Consul, CDC, second, Corona 4.85
Sunflower, MOD, Pure Gold, Naranjo 5.75
Golden Trail, TC, Sunkist, Success.. 5.95
Sentinel Butte, LM, Sunkist, Rose St. 5.40
Gold of Ophir, BC, Sunkist, Thermalito 5.55
Table Mountain, SC, Red Ball, Thermalito 4.75
Cresent, RH, Sunkist, Riga Mawr..... 5.65
Skyrocket, CC, Sunkist, Exeter..... 6.20
Royal Knight, RH, Sunkist, Redlands 6.20
Newsboy, RH, Red Ball, Redlands.... 4.85
Crafton Special, RH, Sunkist, Redlands 6.20
Genuine, CC, Sunkist, Elderwood.... 5.60
Gold Bond, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay.... 5.40
Sunbonnet, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay.... 5.80
Health Giver, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay.. 6.10
Earlibest, CC, Sunkist, Citro 5.50
Mineral King, CC, extra choice, Citro 4.90
Demand, TC, Sunkist, Strathmore.... 6.30
Poonhouse, TC, Sunkist, Strathmore.. 6.00
Record, TC, Red Ball, Strathmore.... 5.35
Gold Cup, RH, Sunkist, Sunkist..... 5.65
Silver Cup, RH, Red Ball, Sunkist... 5.60
Lindsay Pride, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay. 5.70
Gold Elephant, RH, Sunkist, Redlands 5.05
La Sunprema, CC, Sunkist, Wirth.... 6.20
Jarvis Woodside, LM, Sunkist, Goodale 6.10
Honora, LM, Red Ball, Goodale..... 5.25
Surebest, CC, Sunkist, Cairns 5.80
Surefire, CC, Sunkist, Cairns 5.90
Earlibest, CC, Sunkist, Citro 5.25
Mineral King, CC, extra choice, Citro 4.95
Big Tree, CC, Sunkist, Terminus.... 6.35
Silver Lake, CC, Red Ball, Terminus. 5.50
Big Tree, TL, CC, Sunkist, Terminus. 6.30
Silver Lake, TL, CC, Red Ball, Terminus 5.90
Golden Trail, TC, Sunkist, Success.. 6.10
La Golondrina, TC, Sunkist, Algoso.. 6.30
La Grulla, TC, Red Ball, Algoso..... 5.20
Sunny, TC, Sunkist, Ultra 6.90
Ultra, TC, Sunkist, Ultra 6.20

LEMONS

Power, VCE, Sunkist, Lemon Station. 7.25
Ventura, VCE, Red Ball, Lemon Station 6.55
Orion, VC, standard, Fillmore..... 6.45
Alamo, FC, Red Ball, Fillmore..... 7.30
Seepe, FC, Sunkist, Fillmore..... 7.95
Standards, VCE, standard, Miramar. 8.60
Tartan, C, Sunkist, Covina 7.95
Kiltie, C, Red Ball, Covina 7.40
Domestic, C, standard, Covina..... 6.50
Trail, DM, Sunkist, Lamanda Park.. 8.15
Canyon, DM, Red Ball, Lamanda Park 7.50
Victor, OK, Sunkist, Etiwanda..... 7.25
Seepe, FC, Sunkist, Fillmore 7.95
Alamo, FC, Red Ball, Fillmore..... 7.70
Trail, DM, Sunkist, Lamanda Park.. 8.00
Canyon, DM, Red Ball, Lamanda Park 7.35
Ocean View, VCE, Sunkist, Miramar. 8.00
Sea Breeze, VCE, Red Ball, Miramar. 8.05
Miramar, VCE, Sunkist, Miramar..... 8.05
Summerland, VCE, Red Ball, Miramar. 7.30
Las Fuentes, VCE, extra choice, Miramar 7.90

PHILADELPHIA—Market generally higher on 176s and smaller navels, lower with good demand on balance; best stock Lemons higher, balance lower with demand fairly active. Carlot sales: Five cars oranges, two cars lemons. Florida carlot sales: Twenty-one cars oranges, $4.30; seven cars grapefruit, $4.15; seven cars tangerines, $2.15.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Terra Bella, TC, Sunkist, Terra Bella 5.80
Sweetest Yet, THP, fancy, Lindsay.... 4.10
Gold Tex, TC, Sunkist, Porterville.... 5.20
Windmill, DM, Sunkist, Hamilton City 5.75
Sentinel Butte, LM, Sunkist, Rose St. 5.15

LEMONS

Perfection, CC, Sunkist, Ivanhoe..... 6.15
Commerce, CC, Red Ball, Ivanhoe..... 5.35
Victor, WD, Sunkist, Hillcrove..... 8.05
Juicy-O, WD, Red Ball, Hillcrove..... 6.70

CLEVELAND—Market lower on navels; 150s and larger, balance unchanged; lemons lower. Carlot sales: Six cars oranges, one car lemons. Florida carlot sales: Two cars oranges, $3.53; six cars grapefruit, $2.90.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Gold Tex, TC, Sunkist, Porterville... 5.65
Repeater, AIP, Club..... 5.30
Vista de Robles, FR, Sunkist, Vista Robles 5.20
Blue Label, CC, Sunkist, Lindsay.... 5.80
S & W, TC, Sunkist, Strathmore..... 6.30
Pocohontas, TC, Sunkist, Strathmore. 5.70

LEMONS

Bear, OK, Sunkist, Upland 7.00
Southern Beauties, C, Sunkist, Corona 7.40
Justrite, C, Red Ball, Corona..... 6.90
Minerva, C, standard, Corona..... 4.00
Camel, C, Red Ball, Corona..... 6.95
Questa, C, orchard run, Corona..... 5.25
Sub-Up, OK, standard, Corona..... 6.23

CINCINNATI—Market lower on navels account condition; lower and easier on lemons. Carlot sales: Two cars oranges, two cars lemons.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Cosmos, RH, Red Ball, Highland..... 4.70
Our Brand, RH, Sunkist, Highland.... 4.80
Pride of Venice Cove, CC, Red Ball, Ivanhoe 4.45

LEMONS

Oxnard, VCE, Sunkist, Hueneme..... 8.45
Seaside, VCE, Red Ball, Hueneme..... 7.40
Del Norte, VCE, Red Ball, Hueneme.. 7.50
Bird, RIV, Sunkist, Chula Vista..... 6.00
Seaboard, SDF, Red Ball, Chula Vista 6.35
Pals, SDF, extra choice, Chula Vista.. 6.00
Sundial, SDF, choice, Chula Vista.... 6.20

BALTIMORE—Market lower on lemons. Florida carlot sales: Three cars oranges, $3.45; two cars tangerines, $1.75; one car grapefruit, $3.75.

CALIFORNIA LEMONS

Pioneer, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay..... 7.25
Liberty Maid, LM, Red Ball, Lindsay 6.60

DETROIT—Market was lower on navels account quality; lower on lemons. Carlot sales: Ten cars oranges, two cars lemons. Florida carlot sales: Four cars oranges, $4.15.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Masterpiece, LMB, standard, Anaheim 4.95
Bulls, OOB, fancy, Esparto..... 4.80
Topaz, AOD, fancy, Duarte..... 4.35
Bulldog, RMC, fancy, Highland..... 5.10
Colister, RMC, choice, Highland..... 4.30
Golden Lane, Folsom..... 4.35
Repester, Folsom..... 4.65
Bouquet, MOD, choice, Porterville.... 5.05
La Mesa, RIV, Sunkist, Riverside..... 5.85
Golden, RIV, Red Ball, Riverside..... 5.65
California Sunshine, RM, Red Ball, Redlands 4.50
American River, FO, extra choice, Fair Oaks 4.80
Merit, LM, Red Ball, Lindsay..... 5.55
Desert Sweet, ARZ, Sunkist, Phoenix. 5.90
Arizona Cactus, ARZ, Red Ball, Phoenix 5.75
Desert Sweet, grapefruit, Phoenix.... 2.50

LEMONS

Landmark, ARZ, Sunkist, Phoenix... 8.25
Zenith, WDE, Sunkist, Whittier..... 8.25
Paragon, WDE, Red Ball, Whittier... 8.60
Three Star, WDE, Sunkist, Whittier... 8.60
Two Crown, WDE, Red Ball, Whittier 7.50
Paul Nevron, LAV, Sunkist, La Verne 8.40
Fuchsia, LAV, Red Ball, La Verne... 7.25

CHICAGO—Markets generally lower on navels, with good demand; doing better on 300s lemons and larger, lower on 360s and smaller. Carlot sales: Thirty-two cars oranges, five cars lemons.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Paramount, TC, Sunkist, Richgrove.. 6.55
Heart of Gold, RH, Sunkist, Highgrove 5.70
Valley Vista, LM, Red Ball, Lindsay. 5.70
Chimes, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay..... 6.00
Highlander, CC, Sunkist, Highland... 6.00
Cactus, RH, Red Ball, Highland..... 4.90
Golden Gleam, TC, Sunkist, Sunland. 5.85
Red Bird, TC, Red Ball, Sunland..... 5.60
Gold Cup, RH, Sunkist, Sunkist..... 5.50
Gavilan, RIV, Sunkist, Arlington..... 6.40
Gavilan Selected, RIV, Sunkist, Arlington 5.70
Braeside, RIV, Red Ball, Arlington... 4.65
Procea, CC, Sunkist, Highland..... 4.60
Pine Cone, RH, Sunkist, Highland..... 5.95
Blue Bow, RIV, Sunkist, Riverside..... 6.45
Gold Elephant, RH, Sunkist, Redlands 5.05
Caesar, RM, Sunkist, Redlands..... 6.00
Orange Cove, RH, Sunkist, Orange Cove 6.80
Golden Trail, TC, Sunkist, Success.... 6.70
Rey, ST, Sunkist, San Fernando..... 4.50
Joston, ST, Sunkist, San Fernando.... 5.40
Skyrocket, CC, Sunkist, Exeter..... 6.00
La Verne, LAV, Sunkist, La Verne (Valencias) 7.25
Paul Nevron, LAV, Sunkist, La Verne (Valencias) 5.65
Fuchsia, LAV, Red Ball, La Verne (Valencias) 5.65
La Verne Rancho, LAV, orchard run, La Verne (Valencias) 4.90
Big Tree, TC, Sunkist, Terminus..... 6.05
Silver Lake, CC, Red Ball, Terminus.. 5.40
Nature's Best, TC, Sunkist, Listo..... 6.25
Bonnie Doon, TC, Sunkist, Strathmore 6.60
Pocohontas, TC, Sunkist, Strathmore.. 6.10
Hand Sum, TC, Red Ball, Strathmore 5.95
Hiawatha, TC, Red Ball, Strathmore.. 5.40
Desert Sweet, ARZ, Sunkist, Phoenix. 6.00
Penny, MOD, Pure Gold, Ivanhoe..... 6.20
Ambassador, CDC, first, Corona (Valencias) 6.00
Consul, CDC, second, Corona (Valencias) 5.00
Ursaline, OBA, extra choice, Naranjo. 5.85
Unacood, GBA, choice, Naranjo..... 5.75
Iceland, ETHT, fancy, Folsom..... 5.70
Blue Goose, APG, fancy, Redlands.... 5.30
Sweetest Yet, THP, fancy, Lindsay.... 5.25
Sunflower, MOD, Pure Gold, Porterville 5.20
Glen Ivy, SOL, choice, Pachappa..... 5.00
Glen Rose, SOL, fancy, Pachappa..... 5.00
Solaire, ETHT, fancy, Folsom..... 4.80
Half Moon, CMB, fancy, Redlands..... 4.85
Mazuma, SFC, choice, Folsom..... 4.85
Repester, Fair Oaks..... 5.40
Mazuma, SFC, choice, Folsom..... 4.25

LEMONS

Pioneer, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay..... 7.25
Liberty Maid, LM, Red Ball, Lindsay. 6.60
Shamrock, NO, Sunkist, Placentia.... 8.30
Caledonia, NO, Red Ball, Placentia... 6.00
Old Baldy, OK, Sunkist, Upland..... 6.30
Excel, OK, Red Ball, Upland..... 6.00
Admiration, OK, standard, Upland.... 5.00
Bridal Veil, VC, Sunkist, Limco..... 7.35
White Cross, VC, Red Ball, Limco.... 6.85
Diamond, VC, Red Ball, Limco..... 6.55
Diamond, VC, standard, Limco..... 4.95
Golden State, CC, Sunkist, Lemon Cove 7.60
Vitamin, CC, Red Ball, Lemon Cove.... 5.30

DETROIT—Market higher on 150s and smaller navels, balance best doing better in spots, rest easier in spots; lower on lemons. Carlot sales: Nine cars oranges, one car lemons.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Crocus, RH, Sunkist, Highland..... 4.35
Cosmos, RH, Red Ball, Highland..... 3.25
Hiawatha, CC, Red Ball, Strathmore.. 6.30
Mohawk, OR, extra choice, Orange... 6.20
Mohawk, OR, extra choice, Orange... 6.00
Big Tree, CC, Sunkist, Terminus..... 6.00
Silver Lake, CC, Red Ball, Terminus. 5.70
4 Square, CC, Sunkist, Ranger..... 5.20
Target, CC, Red Ball, Sanger..... 6.20
American River, FO, Sunkist, Fair Oaks 5.10
Blue Goose, APG, fancy, Lindsay..... 6.25
Native Son, MOD, orchard run, Lindsay 5.35

LEMONS

Fresco, CC, Sunkist, Sanger..... 7.75
Bear, OK, Sunkist, Upland..... 7.90

PITTSBURGH—Market easier on 126s and larger oranges, steady on balance; steady on lemons. Carlot sales: Eight cars oranges, two cars lemons. Florida carlot sales: Five cars oranges, $4.10.

CALIFORNIA NAVELS

Gold of Ophir, BC, Sunkist, Thermalito 5.65
Ivanhoe, CC, Sunkist, Ivanhoe..... 5.45
Pride of Venice Cove, CC, Red Ball, Ivanhoe 5.00
Health Giver, LM, Sunkist, Lindsay.. 5.50
Blue Label, CC, Sunkist, Lindsay.... 5.55
Red Label, CC, Red Ball, Lindsay.... 4.65
Exmaro, CC, Sunkist, Lindsay..... 5.55
Sunflower, MOD, Pure Gold, Memel.. 5.05
Sweetest Yet, THP, fancy, Riverside. 5.60
Carnation, FWK, first, Riverside..... 5.55
Gypsy Queen, FWK, second, Riverside 4.50
Carnation, FWK, first, Lindsay..... 5.05
Gypsy Queen, FWK, second, Lindsay. 4.40

LEMONS

Euclid, THP, fancy, Riverside..... 7.75
Moose, OK, Sunkist, Upland..... 8.85
Promthorn, OK, Red Ball, Upland.... 7.70
Aristocrat, ST, Sunkist, San Fernando Mission 7.60
Lancer, ST, Red Ball, San Fernando Mission 7.70
Mogul, ST, extra choice, San Fernando Mission 8.70

STANDARD OILS

(Furnished by E. A. Pierce & Co., 315 West Sixth street.)

	Bid	Asked
Anglo-Am. Oil	16⅞	17⅛
Atlantic Lobos	¾	1
Belle Seymaer	20	21
Buckeye	63½	63⅞
Chesebrough Mfg.	147	153
Continental	13⅜	13⅝
Cumberland	40	45
Eureka	44	50
Galena Signal com.	4	6
Do. old pfd.	81	90
Do. new pfd.	80	88
Humble Oil	83¼	84
Illinois Pipe	295	300
Imperial Oil	26	26⅛
Indiana Pipe	40	41
International Petr.	21¾	21⅝
National Transit	21	22
N. Y. Transit	14	15½
Northern Pipe	90	92
Ohio Oil	70¾	71
Penn. Mex.	29	29⅝
Solar Refg.	100	105
Southern Pipe	13½	14
South Penn. Oil	40	41
S. W. Penn. Oil	57	60
S. Oil Indiana	33¼	33⅝
S. Oil Kansas	27	28½
S. Oil Kentucky	23½	24
S. Oil Nebraska	44	45
S. Oil Ohio	80½	82
Do. pfd.	114	120
Texas & Pipe	5	7
Vacuum Oil	32¾	34¾

PRODUCE STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Following is a list of stocks and bonds traded in today on the New York Produce Exchange. Total sales for the day were 68,753 shares.

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Acme Klemm ...	700	1½	¾	1 1-16
A. Am. Gen. ...	700	13½	13	13½
Am. Cyan. "A"	100	4¾	....	....
Am. El. & B. vtc.	1,500	4¾	4⅝	....
Am. Eagle Aire..	100	5	....	....
Assd. G. & E. ..	200	5½	5½	....
Bs. Ad. s.s. rts.	20,000	2-32	2-32	....
Bs. rts. 1930 ..	500	....	¾	....
Bs. all cert. w.i.	300	129½	129	129½
Autopart. Ind. ..	900	1¼	....	....
Bacdad Copper ..	1,400	2¾	2	2¼
B G Sandwich ..	200	2	....	....
Big Mo. Mining ..	100	¾	....	....
Chem. Nat. Asso.	23,300	29½	16¾	26¼
Chic. Corp. pfd.	100	12½	....	....
Cities Servs. vtc.	1,200	11½	11⅛	11⅛
Color Pict.	100	3	....	....
C. Gas Ut. B vtc.	400	9¼	9¼	9
Credit. All A com.	900	13½	....	....
C. Shares pf. cv.	200	71	66	....
Det. & Can. Tun	700	4½	4¼	4½
Gen. Cap Corp. ..	100	44	....	....
Hamilton Gas. ..	100	4¾	....	....
Helena Rub. pfd.	200	19½	19½	19½
Inland Gas. vtc.	1,200	14¾	14	14¾
Interl. Shell Ir.	6,300	1⅝	1⅛	1⅜
Jenkins Telev. ..	1,400	3	2¾	2¾
Kane Stores	100	5	5	5
Kilmer Adra. ..	1,700	1 1-16	¾	1 1-16
Lewings	100	12½	12	....
Merlin Prod. ..	100	3	....	....
M.S.O.B. vtc. w.i.	100	3	....	....
Niag. Shares w.i.	100	11½	....	....
No. Butte Min. ..	100	1	1	....
Pete Cent.	1,000	1¾	....	....
R.R. Shares w.i.	200	7	6½	7
Reliance Int. "B"	100	3	....	....
Seaboard Ut. ..	200	9¼	9¼	....
Do. war.	4,000	....	....	....
Sheldon Min. ..	100	1	....	....
Shell Un. pfd. ..	200	105½	105½	....
Stand. Pharm. ..	200	8½	8¼	....
Stand. Hold. Co.	100	13	....	....
Technicolor	100	47	....	....
Trent. Process ..	2,000	¾	¾	....
Tungsten El. w.i.	100	21	....	....
Tubes Clear	100	1¼	....	....
Ut. Equity, pfd.	1,000	68½	....	....
Zenda Gold	1,400	3¼	3⅛	....
Bk. S. Utah	100	61	....	....
Chase Natl.	1,500	133	....	....
Ch. Pn. Atl. w.i.	2,200	17⅛	17	....
Inter. Gov. Ex...	1,000	42	42	....
Nyrs. Trust	2,000	134½	134	134
Rhodesian w.i. ..	100	2½	....	....
Gov. Fire	1,700	10½	10	10½
Seaboard Fire...	200	15½	15	15½

LIBERTY BONDS

(Quotations in dollars and thirty-seconds, furnished by the securities division, National Bankitaly Company)

	Bid	Asked	Year Ago	Close Yesterday
First 3½s	99.13	99.13	99.24	99.11
First 4¼s	101.3	101.4	100.6	100.30
Fourth 4¼s	101.10	101.12	100.26	101.1
Treasury 4¼s ..	107.4	107.6	111.14	111.2
Treasury 4s	107.4	107.6	106.16	107.2
Treasury 3½s ..	101.1	101.3	102.16	101.3
Treasury 3½s ..	99.13	99.14	99.17	99.17
Treasury 3s	99.14	99.15	99.14	99.17
Treasury 3s	99.15	99.16	99.14	99.17

United States Treasury Notes and Certificates of Indebtedness

Issue	Rate	Maturity	Bid	Asked
TM	"30	5¼% Mar. 15, '30	100.14	100.16
TJ	"30	4¼% June 15, '30	100.23	100.27
TS	"30	3½% Sept. 15, '30	100.31	101.1
A	'30-'31	3½% Dec. 15, '30	99.31	100.1
B	'30-'31	3½% Sept. 15, '31	99.15	99.17
C	'30-'32	3½% Dec. 15, '32	99.18	99.20

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Assessed Valuation Taxable Property, 1929-1930	1,583,472,869
Total Bonded Debt, Including This Issue	138,569,500
Water Debt $94,000,000	
Net Bonded Debt	44,569,500
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DRIFT OF STOCK VALUES UNEVEN

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of the chemicals were buoyant. Allied Chemical and Columbian Carbon rising about 9 points. Other strong spots were National Biscuit up 7 and Otis Elevator, up 10 United States Steel, American Can, International Telephone and National Cash Register were among shares mounting 2 to 4 points.

Fox Film "A" was again under pressure, sagging to a new low at 19 1-8, but closing at 21 1-2, off only 1-2. Bears took advantage of reports that negotiations with the bankers who advanced $40,000,000 in short-term credits, some of which are understood to be now due, were temporarily deadlocked. Among other shares touching new lows were Continental Motors, Goodrich preferred and United States Rubber first preferred. Sears-Roebuck and Anaconda were under pressure for a time, both selling off about 3 points, but these losses were regained.

Commodity markets were inclined to sag. December corn dropped more than 2 cents on rather heavy liquidation, while other positions sagged moderately, reflecting increased receipts. Wheat futures eased about 1-2 cent, reflecting favorable winter crop reports and large contract deliveries. Cotton closed practically unchanged.

Leading foreign exchanges sagged, reflecting completion of the year-end transfers, but business was quiet, pending the turn of the year. Sterling was an exception to the trend, being quoted a shade higher. Attention was focused upon a decline of about 1-8 cent in French francs cables. A slight further decline would carry the franc below the gold export point. The present case, however, is generally regarded as temporary.

Plymouth, Eng., will have a swimming pool and winter garden costing $1,250,000.

LOS ANGELES EXCHANGE

Leaders Hold Firm on Steady Support While Six Inactive Issues Hit New Bottoms

While the more popular issues maintained an even tone with the resumption of trading yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, irregularities in other spots of the board resulted in the posting of six new low marks, which brings the general level of prices to practically the lowest point this year. Major issues, however, were strongly supported and on the whole improved slightly. The market closes today at 12:30.

Featuring the session, Seaboard National Bank and Seaboard National Securities Corporation ran contrary to the general trend and hung up high prices for the year. The former spurted 3 1-8 points to 54 1-8, and the latter, 1 3-8 points to 54 1-4.

New low marks for the year were established by Pacific Western Oil, off 3-4 to 12; Aero Corporation, down 1-4 to 2; California Bank, down 2 1-4 points to 113 3-4; Douglas Aircraft, off 7-8 to 12 1-8; Lincoln Mortgage preferred, off 3-4 to 7, and Seaboard Dairy Credit, down 6 points to 23.

Activity among oil shares was particularly brisk but no changes of consequence occurred. Union Oil and Union Associates firmed up fractionally, to 44 3-8 and 43 3-4, respectively. Standard Oil of California gained 1-4 to 60 1-4, while Rio Grande and Richfield each slipped off 1-4 point to 19 and 23 7-8, respectively.

Transamerica Corporation added 1-2 to close at 42 1-2, while Southern California Edison traded in a light fashion to end unchanged for the day at 54 3-4. Pacific Finance, after dropping to a low at 36 7-8, rallied sharply to 38 1-4, where it finished high for the session, up 1 point.

Sales totaled 33 850 shares, valued at $927,511; previous day, 13,061 shares, valued at $443,239.

High	Low	Div. per Sh.		Sales	High	Low	Last	Net Change
12½	7		Aero Corp. of Cal.	500	7			— ⅛
174	130	5.00	Bank of Amer Cal.					161½
19¼	19⅛	2.00A	Barnsdall Oil "A"	100	20¼			— ⅛
430	95	08	*Bohn Chevrolet Oil "A"	1,100	12½	11½	11½	— ½
42½	15		Byron Jackson Co.	400	15½	15½		+ ½
147	113¾	4.00A	California Bank	100	115	113¾		— 2¼
68½	68½	4.00	Cal. Packing Corp.					67
16¾	7	1.00	Central Investment					16
130	116	4.00	Citizens Nat'l Bank	100	115			112
31	30	2.00	Comml. Disc. com.					30
42	12½		Douglas Aircraft	300	13¾	12½		— ½
41½	18	1.50	Emsco Der. Co. com.	200	18			— ½
410	410	16.00	Farm. & Mer. Nat'l.					405
15	1	1.00	Fenter-Metzger com.	50	⅞			
15¾	10	1.20	Gilmore Oil Co.					13
64¾	36	1.00	Glidn. St. M. Pr. Co.					39
99¾	99¼	7.00	Goodyear Tire pfd.					99
101¾	85	7.00	Goodyear T. &R. pf.					99
18	8	2.00	Hal Roach 8s pfd.					7
22¼	22	2.00	Home Fire 8s pfd.					21
58	53¼	2.00	Honolulu Cons. Oil					55
43¼	40		Internat. Re-ing Co.	100	40			40
147¾	52		*Lincoln Mtg. Co.					55
108	98	6.00	L. A. G.&E. pfd.	91	101½	102	102¾	+ ¾
99¾	98	6.00	L. A. Ice Co.	100	101¾			+ ⅝
25½	25½	1.50	Do. Sug. Co.					25½
45¾	23	2.00	MacMillan Pet.					30
13¾	4		Maddux Airline					7
58	56½	.60	Mex. Pr. Corp. com.					56
6¾	6	.80	Do. pfd.					7½
		.80	Do. pfd. "D"					9
410	200		*Morelia Mot. com.	3,822	250			—30
204	171	4.00	Mtg. Guar. Co.					175
137	115	6.00	N. A. Inv. Corp. com.					111½
		4.50	Do. 7½% pfd					
		6.00	Do. 6% pfd					91
101	101	6.00	Do. 6% pfd					
			Pd. 1.37½					
			Pd. 1.50					90
75¼	54		Pac. Am. F. Ins. Co.	50	54			55½
27½	26	2.00	Pac. Clay Products					28
60	56½		Pac. Fire Corp. new	2,100	58¼	56¾	58¼	+ 1
		.80	Do. pfd. "A"					80
9	9	.60	Do. pfd. "B"					9
27¼	22	2.00	Pac. Lighting com.	40	25¾			25½
103	95½	6.00	Do. 6% pfd					114½
			Do. 5% pfd					100¾
8	5	1.20	Pacific National Co.	500	7	7	7	
26¾	23¾	2.00	Pac. P. Sr. "A" com.					25
13¾	12		Pac. Western Oil	1,000	13¾	13	13	— ⅛
4	3		Packwell Corp. com.					3
87	82½	6.00	Pacific Mutual	200	82½			81½
237½	185		*Republic Pet. Co.	800	205	200	200	
21	21	1.60	Republic Supply Co.					20
24	23	2.00	Richfield Oil	3,000	24	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
25¾	21½	1.75	Do. pfd.	50	23			22½
20¾	19	1.00	Rio Grande Oil	2,200	19¾	18¾	19	— ⅛
116½	101	7.00	S. L. & S. F. pr pfd 7%	5	113			111
100½	96¼	7.00	Do. pfd. 6%					98
100	93	7.00	Seaboard Dairy pfd.	20	93			93
29½	29½	2.00	Do. com.	50	29			29
54¾	54		Seaboard Natl. Bank	10	54¾			+ 1⅛
54¾	49		Seaboard Nat. Sec.	10	54¾			+ 1⅛
116	110	4.40	Sec. 1st Nat. Bank	1,200	110¾	110	110	
24	20¼	1.00	Security L. & T. "A"	200	20¼			+ ¼
47½	20		Do. "B"					20½
47½	47¼	2.00B	So. Cal. Edison com.	500	54¾	54¾	54¾	
25	25	1.50	Do. pfd.					25
27¾	27¾	1.75	Do. 7% pfd.	255	27¾			27¾
26¾	26¾	1.75	Do. 6% pfd.	287	26¾			26¾
24¾	24¾	1.75	Do. 6% pfd.	287	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
24¾	24¾	1.75	Do. 5½% pfd.	100	24¾			24¾
10	10		So. Cal. Gas 6% pf.	10	10½			10½
23	23	1.50	Do. "A" pfd.					23½
101½	96	6.00	So. Cal. Gas pfd. 6%	200	96			96
54½	50½	2.50	Standard Oil Cal.	1,100	60¾	59⅞	60¼	+ ¼
			Superior Oil com					5
			Do. pfd.					50
25½	24¾	2.00	Taylor Mill. Corp					24
47¼	27	1.00E	Transamerica Corp.	2,500	42¼	41¼	42¼	+ ½
55	55		*Do. rights	1,000				7
54½	43¾	2.00E	Union Associates	2,300	43¾	43¼	43¾	+ ⅝
47¾	47¾	2.00	Union Oil Co.	2,300	44¾	44	44⅝	+ ⅜
375	375	7.00	Union Sh. & Tr. Co.	10	325			325
30	30		Union Sugar com.					5
33	32	2.00	Weber Showcase pf					31
33½	33	.60	West Air Express					31

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*Prices in cents.

LOS ANGELES CURB

In common with a similar condition on the parent board, seven new low marks were posted yesterday on the Los Angeles Curb Exchange, as a general year-end liquidation brought pressure on an unsettled market. While the main trend of prices turned downward individual losses were not great and a few fractional advances were recorded.

New bottom prices were chalked up for Gladding McBean, down 1 3-4 points to 53 1-4; Electrical Products of Washington, down 1 point to 11; Consolidated Steel preferred, down 1 to 19½; Mills Alloy "A," down 1-8 to 5; Kinner, down .02 to .88,

High	Low	Div. per Sh.		Sales	High	Low	Last	Net Change
23¼	10¾		Ark. Nat. Gas "A"					8¾
27½	7		Atelson Aircraft Eq.					9
11½	9½		Banco Utilco sub					9½
30	22¾		Cities Service	400	25½	25¾	25½	— ⅝
67	45¾	2.00	Caterpillar Tractor					55½
13½	9	1.15	Chapman Ice Cream					24¾
58	29½	1.00E	C. Ness P. Co.	400	26	29½		— ½
19½	19¼	1.40	Do. pfd. (Del.)					19¾
45¾	19¼		Do. New York					19¾
5	3		Cons. Steel com	100	13			+ ¼
29¾	19¼	1.15	Do. pfd.	400	20	19½		— 1
17¾	12¾		Cord Corp. com.					16½
11	11		Crystalite Prod. cm.					7
11¾	11	1.00	Crystalite Prod. pf.	200	15			+ 3
15	11		Continental Credit	500	12½	12	12½	
40¾	38	2.00	Diamond Elec. com.					34¾
107	98	7.00	Do. pfd.	10	95			95
47¾	38	2.00	Distnt Bonds					39
			Detroit Airports					5½
			Electric Prod. Wash.	50	85¾			+ ¼
27¾	12¾		Fokker Aircraft	400	13¾	13		— 1⅛
7	7	1.00	Forter-Meizer pfd.					7
57¾	53¼	1.60E	Gladding-McBean	600	54¼	53¼		— 1¾
21¾	14¾	1.75	Hancock Oil	2,700	15¾	15		— ⅛
23	12½	1.00	Home Ser. Ind pfd.					12
			Hollywood Box Grp.					
23¼	20		Intercont Trading	400	20¾	20¾		— ⅛
13¼	6		Lockh'd Air c'p.					6½
		.12	Lorena L. & P. Co.					100
			L. A. Met. Airport					12
28¾	12	1.00	Marbellte pfd.					13½
28¾	23¼	1.40	Marine Bancorp.					27
7	5		Mills Alloy "A"	400	5			— ¼
			Pac. Cottonseed Pr.					14½
41	15¾	1.60	Pacific Associates	66	41			21
200	200	8.00	Pacific Indemnity	55	200			200
23¼	18		Pat. Rectifying					17½
		1.25	Riverside Cem. com.					21½
		6.00	Do. pfd.					95
70	47¼		Security Co. Units					80
17½	15		Shattuck Denn					15
101½	95	6.50	So. Cal. Gas 6½% pfd.					97½
800	750	25.00	Title Ins. & Trust					750
.31	7¾		Trans. Air Trans.					8½
			Un. Corp. new					12½
46	16½		United Linen com.					16½
50½	43¾	2.50	Do. pfd.					50
22¾	13¾	3.00	United Verde Ext.					13

Following quotations in cents:

2	2		Argentina Cons.					2
200	175		Ambassador Pet.					175
107½	100		Banco D'Italia com.	100	100			100
117½	85½		Bank of Pac. com.	1,500	365	345		—20
365	15		Bach Aircraft					15
115	6		Barnhart Storrow	200			6	
24	6¼		Blue Diamond	1,858		5½		
400	75		Bolsa Chica "B" cm.					110
37	17	.04	Buckeye Un. Oil pfd.	100			15	
			Central & Pac. Imp.					50
250	130	.12	Exeter Oil	800	203	200	205	
500	175		First Security Units					180
75¾	67½		Fox Theaters "A"					4½
21	10		Gold Ore Mining					10
100	75	.10	Holly Development					51
		1.00	Hollr Oil Co.					200
12	9		Imperial Mining					9
1200	81		Hale Pet. com.	700	61	56		— 5
200	120	.10	Do. pfd.	800	125			125
24	7½		Jade Oil Co.					8
435	100		Kemper Ra'lo	800	300	290		—10
667½	87		Kinner A. & M.	3,800	90	87	88	— 2
230	110		Kreuzer Jos. Corp.					6
253¾	123		Lockheed Aircraft					145
225	100		L. A. Vancouver Flin.					150
1812½	300		Marbellte Prod com.	200	320	325		
175	94	.12	Mascot Oil Co.					99
54	35	.08	Merchants Pet.					40
41	3		Midway North. Oil.	3,000	3½	3		— 3½
70	33		Mt. D.ablo Oil	300			40	35
1200	125		Mills Alloy "B"					125
17	9		North Star Mining	4,000	6½			+ ½
250	94	.12	Occidental Pet. Co	300	102½	100	102½	+ 2½
165	80		Oceanic Oil					80
23	15		Olinda Land					15
3½	1¼		Ore Amigo	7,000	2½	2	2½	
30	3		Palmer Un. Oil com					3
6	2		Prince Cons.					2½
180	110	.12	Rice Ranch Oil Co.					110
2500	400		Samson Tire & Rub.	300	450	400		—95
6½	1		San Francisco Gold					2
12	1¼		Santa Fe Oil	4,000	2½			
55	50		Southern Glass Co.					40
18	4		Sanagman Mines					4
300	250	.10	Sun Realty Co					250
13	4		Sierra Trading	2,000	6			— 2
75	37		Tom Reed Mining					52
2000	400		Tran. Cont. Air stc.	200	450			+50
2½	2		United American	1,000	6			
118	72		United Eastern					3
17	5		Un Republic Mining					6½
12½	3½		U. S. Oil and Royal	5,000	5			+ 2½
250	80		Universal Cons. Oil	2,700	133	130		— 3
850	120		United Vanadium					130
400	200	.50	Wellington Oil Co.					320
			White Star Oil Co.					8½

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BUTTER AND EGGS

LOS ANGELES

Closing prices quoted are corrected daily by Produce Exchange of Los Angeles.

Butter

Wholesale price, 46.
Price to retailers, 43@44.

Eggs

Extras, 45.
Fresh firsts, 44.
Case count, 42.
Medium, 41½.
Small, 36.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Net wholesale prices:

Butter, 92 score, 50; 90 score, 37.
Eggs, No. 1 extra small, 33½; No. 1 candled extra, 43½; No. 1 candled extra medium, 40½.
Cheese California fancy flats, 22.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. — Butter, weak; receipts, 6806 tubs; creamery extras, 36; standards, 37; extra firsts, 35½@37; firsts, 31½@34; seconds, 30@30½.
Eggs, easy; receipts, 9715 cases; extra firsts, 43½@44; graded firsts, 42½@43; ordinary firsts, 38@41; ordinary firsts, 38@41; refrigerator extras, 36; refrigerator firsts, 35.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Butter, steady; receipts, 5845; creamery, higher than extra, 40¾@41½; extra (92 score), 40@40¾; first (88 to 91 score), 35@39½; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 28@28½; No. 2, 26½@27; Chicago, steady; receipts, 137,872; State, whole milk flats, fresh, fancy, 28; Dc. held, 29@36½.
Eggs, irregular; receipts, 16,382; mixed colors, fresh gathered extras, 53@54; extra firsts, 49@51; firsts, 46½@48; refrigerator, special marks, 42½@43; extra firsts, 41@42; firsts, 39@40½; seconds, 38@39; near-by hennery white, closely selected extras, 55@58; near-by and near-by western hennery white, first to average extra, 54; near-by white mediums, 47@49; near-by hennery brown, fancy to extra fancy, 56@57; Pacific Coast white, extra, 56@57; extra firsts, 53@55.

PRODUCE MARKET

(United States Bureau of Markets)

Fruit and produce moved fairly well on yesterday morning's market, with limited receipts and prices mostly steady on several lines. Bellflower and Newtown apples stronger; packed stock unchanged. Bananas firm. Beans stronger. Mixed vegetables firm. Cabbage slow. Persimmons dull. Grapefruit lower. Good quality lettuce in demand; ordinary stock weaker. Onions dull. Oranges steady. Peas weaker. Peppers steady. Sweet potatoes unchanged. Tomatoes firm.

APPLES—Watsonville, pound, Bellflowers, 2@5½; Newtowns, 4½@5; few 5½. Idaho, loose, Jonathans, 5@5½; best, 6@6½. Romeos, 4½@5; bushel baskets, Jonathans, 2.10@2.15; best, 2.25@2.30; small, 1.25@1.30; Romeos, 2.00@2.15; best, 2.25@2.35; Delicious, 2.75@3.25. Washington, packed boxes, Romeos, extra fancy, 2.60@2.65; fancy, 2.40@2.45.

ARTICHOKES—Davenport, per box, 48-60s, 4.50@4.75; few 5.00.

BANANAS—Per pound, mostly 5; few 5½.

BEANS—Per pound, Kentucky Wonders, local, San Diego, best, 2@3c; limas, 12@13; ordinary, 7½@8½; Mexican Kentucky Wonders, 6@7½; ordinary, 15@16.

BROCCOLI — Guadalupe, pound, 3@5; mostly 4.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS — Davenport, per pound, 8@10; few 12; poorer, 6@7.

BUNCHED VEGETABLES — Local, per dozen bunches: Beets, 25@30; carrots, 25@30; few 35; Dikon, 30@35; Kohl-rabi, 25@30; radishes, small red, 15@20; Turnips, 15; few 20; Mustard greens, 15@17½; oyster plant, 30@35; leeks, 1.00; spinach, 20@25; few 27½.

CABBAGE — Local, crates, Cannonball, 1.00@1.25; poorer, 75.

CAULIFLOWER — Local, field crates, best, 1.25@1.35; poorer, 1.00.

CELERY—Venice, crates, 4-4½ dozen, 2.50@3.00; mostly 2.75.

CELERY ROOT — Local, crates, 90@1.00; smaller, 75@80.

CHICORY—Local, crates, 75@85.

CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, per dozen, 2.25@3.25, depending on quality and size.

EGGPLANT—Coachella, San Diego, 6½@6.75; fair quality, 4@5.

GRAPEFRUIT—Per box, Arizona, fancy 40s-100s, 4.25@4.50; Imperial, fancy 64s, 4.00; 80s, 3.50@3.75; 100s, 3.75@4.00.

GRAPES—San Joaquin, storage, Cornichons, 6½@7; Red Emperors, 6@6½.

LETTUCE—Crates, Iceberg, San Diego, dry pack, 4s, 2.50@2.75; few 3.00; 5s, 2.25@2.50; ordinary, 1.50@1.75; Romaine, 4s, 2.50@2.75; Delano, 4s, 2.00@2.25; Imperials, 4s, 1.50@2.00; loose pack, 3s, 1.75@2.00; poorer, 1.00@1.25; San Fernando, dry packed, 4s, 2.00@2.25; San Joaquin, Puente, loose, 3s, 1.60@1.75; poorer, 75; Imperial, iced, 4s, 3.65@3.75.

ONIONS—Street sales, local, Japs, Spanish, 50@55; White Globes, 60@65; growers' sales; Stockton, sacked cwt., White Globes, 2.90.

ORANGES—Per box, local, fancy packed navels, 80s, 4.00; 100s, 4.50; 126s, 150s, 5.00; 176s, 5.25; 200s-252s, 4.25; local, loose, choice, 64s-100s, 1.75@2.00; 176s-252s, 2.40@2.50.

PARSNIPS—Local, lugs, 50@60; best, 75.

PEARS — Antelope Valley, Montereys, Winter Nells, pound, 4@4½; Santa Clara, fancy packed, 5@6.

PEAS—Pound, Telephone, 8@9; best, 10@12; imperial, 6@8; best, 9@10; poorer, 3½; San Diego, Ventura, Admiral, 6@8; few 9.

PEPPERS—Per pound, local, San Diego, California Wonders, 15@16; Chinese Giant, 8@10; best, 14@15; green chili, 8@10. Mexican green chili, 6@11.

RHUBARB — Alhambra, fancy packed 20-pound flats, 1.05; 35 pounds, 1.65.

SQUASH—Local, San Diego, lugs, Italian zucchini, 75@85; crookneck, 50; White Summer, mostly 2.25; few 2.50.

SWEET POTATOES—Local, lugs, Jersey, Nancy Halls, 1.25; Merced, Jerseys, pound, 2½@3½; Arkansas, bushel hampers, Nancy Halls, 2.25; New Mexico, bushel baskets, 2.40@2.50.

WATERMELONS—Local, 30-pint crates, 9.00@10.00.

TANGERINES — Bakersfield, Imperial, pound, 1½@2.

TOMATOES—Local, San Diego, best, 8s, 3.50@3.75 per lug; 6s, 3.00@3.25; few 2.75; 4s, 2.00@2.50; few 2.75. Imperial, fancy, 4s, 2.50; 5-basket trays, 1.30@1.35.

RUTABAGAS—Washington, sacked cwt., 2.50@2.75.

PERSIMMONS—Local, storage stock, 6@8 per pound; poorer, 4@5.

POTATOES—San Diego, new stock, 7@8 per pound; smaller, 2½@3; brokers' sales, opening Monday, Stockton, sacked cwt., Burbanks, special marks, high as 3.00; fair quality, 2.25@2.50; Idaho, packed cwt., Russets, too few sales reported to establish market.

POULTRY PRICES

No. 1	Hens, Leghorns, under 3½ lbs. each	.30
No. 2	Hens, Leghorns, 3½ to 4 lbs. each	.32
No. 3	Hens, Leghorns, 4 lbs. and up, each	.33
No. 4	Hens, colored, 4 lbs. and up each	.32
No. 5	Fryers, Leghorns, 2 lbs. each	.27
No. 6	Broilers, over 1½ to 2½ lbs. each	.31
No. 7	Fryers, Leghorns, 2½ to 3 lbs each	.34
No. 8	Fryers, colored, 2½ to 3 lbs each	.32
No. 9	Roasters, soft bone, 3 lbs. and up, each	.32
No. 10	Stags	.22
No. 11	Old roosters	.16
No. 12	Dueklings, Pekin, 3½ lbs. and up, each	.28
No. 13	Dueklings, other than Pekin, 3½ lbs. and up, each	.28
No. 14	Old ducks, 5½ lbs. and up, each	.19
No. 15	Geese	.25
No. 16	Young Toms, dressed, 15 lbs. and up, each	.28
No. 17	Young Toms, dressed, 12 lbs. and up, each	.24
No. 18	Small Toms, dressed, 8 lbs. and up, each	.23
No. 19	Hen turkeys, dressed, 8 lbs. and up, each	.21
No. 20	Old Tom turkeys	.25
No. 21	Old Toms, dressed	.20
No. 22	Small hen turkeys, under 8 lbs., each	.15
No. 23	Small Tom turkeys, under 8 lbs., each	.15
No. 26	Capons, less than 8 lbs., each	.30
No. 27	Capons, 8 lbs. and up, each	.35
No. 28	Rabbits, white, 3½ to 4 lbs.	.17
No. 29	Rabbits, red, 3½ to 4 lbs.	.17
No. 30	Rabbits, mixed color, 3½ to 4 lbs.	.17
No. 31	Rabbits, old	.09

FLAXSEED MARKET

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 30. (Exclusive)—Flaxseed, December, 3.11; May, 3.13.
Duluth Flaxseed, December, 3.07¼; May, 3.11¼.

LIVE-STOCK MARKET

(Furnished by Federal-State Live-stock Market News Service)

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Los Angeles	1,000	200	1,000	0
Chicago	12,000	2,000	33,000	23,000
Kansas City	12,000	1,200	13,000	25,000
Omaha	6,000	1,500	14,000	10,000
St. Paul	3,000	1,000	12,000	6,000
Denver	1,300	150	2,400	2,100
Fort Worth	3,500	1,000	1,500	4,000
Total	44,800	6,350	82,200	68,200
Week ago	44,700	6,350	75,600	59,900

LOS ANGELES MARKET

CATTLE—Active trading at 25@35c higher values on the short Monday run resulted in a ready clearance of all desirable slaughter grades. Quality was, on the whole, better than for some time, with a scarcity of common grade steers. The bulk of shipments came from the intermountain region, with Utah the heaviest contributor, a few loads of fed yearling steers and heifers coming from the Imperial Valley. Steers showed the most advance, while all grades of she stock were active at a 25c advance. Bulls were scarce, ruling 5@10 higher. Calves were scarce, ruling 50c to slightly higher. One load of mixed Idaho fed steers scaling 1070 to 1163 pounds topped at 12.25, and around 1,600 pounds left out of Los Angeles district, Northern California and Los Imperial Valley ranged at 11.60@11.85. A load 940-pound fed yearlings from the latter point being included at 11.75. A few small lots common sorts sold downward to 10.25@10.60.

Two loads Imperial fed yearling heifers scaling 798 and 717 pounds realized 11.40 and 11.85, respectively, and two loads mixed steers and heifers, sold plain lots reaching 10.00. Around three loads good cows realized 8.75, several part lots 8.50, with most of the bulk sales at 8.00@8.25. Low cutters and cutters ranged largely at 3.50@6.50. A few bulls made 8.35, with most sales at 7.25@8.00.

CALVES—On the short supply most sales were strong to 50c higher, odd lots milk veals making 12.50@13.00. Two loads 250-pound enterprising purchased Imperials with odd lots at 12.50. Weighty calves moved around 9.00@9.75 and culls down to 8.00.

HOGS—Supplies were insufficient to take care of demand and were quickly taken up at about 10c higher values. Two loads 192 and 196-pound Nebraskas were in outside packing at 11.50, with a freight benefit. A load 193-pound Nebraskas made 11.35, with several loads Idaho and Montana 190@191 at 11.25. Crops, common and medium, 10.50@11.00; few loads Californias realized 10.75 and local fed 10.85. Packing sows were scarce at 8.00@8.50.

SHEEP—None quality steady.

YESTERDAY'S QUOTATIONS

Slaughter cattle and calves: Steers, 1100 to 1300 pounds, good, 11.75@12.50; 900 to 1100 pounds, good, 11.75@12.50; 600 pounds up, medium, 10.00@11.00; common, 6.00@10.00. Heifers, 850 pounds down, good, 9.00@10.00; common and medium, 6.50@9.00. Cows, good, 8.00@8.50; common and medium, 6.50@8.50; low cutters and cutters, 3.00@6.50. Bulls, yearlings excluded, 6.75@8.25; bulls, yearlings included, 6.75@7.75. Calves, 550 pounds down, medium to choice, 10.75@11.75; culls and common, 7.75@10.75. Vealers, milk fed, good and choice, 12.50@13.50; medium, 11.50@12.50; calf and common, 8.50@11.50.

Slaughter sheep and lambs: Lambs, 84 pounds down, good and choice, 10.50@12.25; 92 pounds down, medium to choice, 10.50@11.50; all weights, common, 9.50@10.50. Ewes, 130 pounds down, medium to choice, 4.50@6.50; all weights, cull and common, 3.50@5.00.

OUTSIDE MARKETS

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Hogs, 700, direct 200; around 200 higher; load 183-pound Idahos, 10.50; four cars to 160 pounds, 10.00@10.40; packing sows, 8.00@8.50.

Cattle, 250, direct 50; strong; spots 25c higher; load of good 1070-pound Utahs, 11.60; two cars medium to good 940 pounds, 11.10@11.35; load medium 670 pounds, 10.15; one stock heifer, two 670 good 830-pound Angus he

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NEW YORK CURB STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Stock prices moved about in rather erratic fashion in today's curb market as a result of the extensive year-end readjustment of security accounts. Establishment of new records for the year by more than a score issues probably represented a new wave of the liquidation of so-called income tax losses as all sales for this purpose tomorrow must be for cash.

Trading in the more active issues, especially in the public utility group, seemed to have been completed early in the day, as a much stronger undertone was apparent at the close. Electric Bond & Share returned to the leadership of the more liquid and light group with a gain of more than 4 points. American Power & Light, although it made partial recovery, was the stock had sold as high as a share in the January movement, engineered by Alan Ryan a year ago. Ford Motor of Canada and Ford Motor, more than 4 points each, were fairly steady, active issues with only small fractional changes. Aviation issues cropped out in some strength, Wright Aircraft, however, more than 5 points to a new high at 11, but recovering more than half of that gain, while Detroit Aircraft rose 3 points. Aviation recently sold more than 20 points.

Among the many stocks to reach new high ground were Arcturus Radio Tube, Consolidated Fisheries, Carnegie Metals, Gotham Theaters, Fox Theaters, Pathe Exchange, Producers & Distributors of America, Toll Bridge "A," Consolidated Laundries, Bayuk Bros. and Tobacco Allied.

Radio Corporation of America dropped 1½ points and Deere & Co., jumped 2½.

The closing price is omitted when same as the last, and both low and close when same as the high.

Stocks	Sales (In Hundreds)	High	Low	Close
Acme Fruit A	2	18	18¼	....
Acoustical Indus.	2	1¾	1¾	....
Adams Mills	1	31	31	....
Ala. Power pf.	2	110	110	....
Alabama Pow. pf.	1	112½	112½

Complete New York Stock Exchange Report

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Following is the complete closing list of today's transactions in stocks on the New York Stock Exchange:

1929 High	1929 Low	Div.	Stocks	Sales.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Closing change.	Bid.
37½	32		Abitibi Power & Paper	300	34¾	34¼	34¾	— ½	34¾
69¾	60	6	Do. pfd	200	76	75	75	—1	80
130½	43		Abraham & Straus	200	47	46	46	—1	52
24	20		Adams Express	9,400	23¾	23¼	23¼	— ¼	23½
24	13	3	Adams Millis	700	23¾	23¼	23¾	+ ¼	24
24¾	7		Advance Rumely	2,700	11¾	11¼	11¼	—1¼	11½
110	15		Advance Rumely pfd	1,800	31½	30	30	—1	33
1¾	¾		Ahumada Lead	2,900	¾	¾	¾	— ⅛	⅞
122¾	71	4½b	Air Reduction	6,500	120	116¾	119¾	+ 3¾	119½
20¾	19¼	2½	Airway El. App.	2,700	19¾	18¼	19¼	+ ¾	19½
11¾	1		Alax Rubber	6,700	1¾	1	1¼	— ⅛	1⅜
3¾	3¾		Alaska Juneau	15,100	3½	3½	3½	+ ⅛	3½
24	8	1.20	Albert P. W. Paper	800	8¾	8	8	— ¼	8½
24½	17		Allegheny	21,700	23¾	23½	23¾	+ ¼	23½
30	30	5½	Do. pfd	1,400	30½	30	30½	+ 9½	30
130	77	6a	Allied Chem. & Dye	1,400	121	121	121	— ½	120
135	110½	7	Do. pfd	100	131	131	131	— ½	130
49¾	27½	2	Allis Chal. Mfg.	3,600	51¾	47¾	50	+ 2¾	50½
31½	23	3	Alpha Port. Cement	21,100	30	28	29¾	+ 1¾	29½
3	3		Amal. Leather	200	3¾	3½	3¾	— ⅛	3½
67¾	17½	0	Amerada	5,600	18½	17½	18¼	+ ⅝	17½
8¾	4		Am. Agri. Chem.	1,800	7	6¾	6¾	— ⅛	6¾
20	18	2b	Am. Agri. Chem. pfd.	1,800	20¼	20	20	+ ¼	20
134	83	3b	Am. Bank Note	1,700	77	75	77	+ 1½	80
69¾	37½		Am. Beet Sugar	1,400	69¾	67½	67½	— 2¼	67½
104	97½		Do. pfd	200	99	99½	99½	— ½	99½
84¾	27½	2.40	Am. Brake Shoe	2,600	85	84¼	84¾	— ¼	84½
127	115		Do. pfd	200	120	120	120	— ½	119½
24¾	4¼		Am. Brown Boveri El.	2,300	8½	8¼	8¼	— ¼	8½
107	66¾	7	Do. pfd	30	97¾	97¾	97¾	— ¼	97½
153½	78	5b	Am. Can	22,500	119	115¾	118¾	+ 3¼	118½
104½	72	6	Am. Car & Foundry	900	104½	103	104	+ 1¼	104
107	98	7	Am. Chain pfd	600	98	97½	98	+ ¼	98
214¾	214¾	14b	Am. Chicle	1,600	209½	205½	207½	—1¾	208
100	100	8	Am. Com'l Alcohol	1,400	100	100	100	— ½	100
27¼	15¼	2	Am. Commercial	2,600	23¾	23½	23½	—1	24
107½	98		Am. & Foreign Power	21,400	107½	104	107	+ ¾	106½
120½	101¼	6	Do. 7r pfd	600	107	106½	106½	— ½	106½
100	94	7	Do. 7r pfd	200	94½	94½	94½	— ½	94½
27	27	2	Am.-Hawaiian S.S.	1,600	27½	27	27	— ½	27½
18	3		Am. Hide & Leather	100	4	4	4		3½
50	50		Do. pfd	100	50	50	50		50
24	24	1.20	Am. Home Products	1,600	25¾	25¼	25¾	+ ¼	25½
27¾	27¼		Am. Ice	1,600	28¾	27¼	27¼	— ¾	27½
27¾	27¼		Am. Int'l	12,200	28¾	27¾	28¼	+ ¾	28½
1¾	¾		Am.-La France & Foam	1,600	1¾	1¾	1¾	— ⅛	1¾
25	27½		Do. pfd	200	28¼	28¼	28¼	+ ¼	28½
120	80	4	Am. Locomotive	2,600	85	84¼	84¾	— ¼	84½
119¾	111	7	Do. pfd	1,100	113¾	113¾	113¾	— ¼	113½
22	22		Am. Mach. & Fdy.	200	22	22	22	— ½	22
110¾	101	8	Do. pfd w-war.	200	107	107	107	— ½	107
46	46		Am. Metal	2,600	48	46	46	+ ½	46
138	98	6	Do. 6½ pfd	100	111	111	111	+ ½	111
38	37¾	3	Am. Natural Gas pfd.	200	39	37¾	37¾	— ¾	38
7	4		Am. Piano	1,400	6¾	6¼	6¼	— ¼	6¼
4	4		Do. pfd	100	6¼	6¼	6¼		6
27¾	20¼	1a	Am. Pow. & Light	2,600	27½	26¾	27	+ ¼	27
107¾	89¼	6	Do. 6 pfd	1,400	104¼	103¼	104	+ ¾	103
97¾	72¾	6	Do. pfd "A" stock	200	98½	98½	98½	+ ¼	98½
15¾	15¾	1	Am. Rad. & Stand. San.	15,100	23¾	23½	23¾	+ ¼	23½
44	44	2.60	Am. Republics	1,400	44¾	44¾	44¾	+ ¾	45
4¾	4¾		Am. Rolling Mills	4,200	8¾	7¾	8¾	+ ¾	8¾
11½	11½	1½	Am. Safety Razor	100	15	15	15	— ½	15
17¾	17		Am. Seating	100	17½	17	17½	— ¼	17½
41¾	41	2	Am. Ship & Commerce	100	41¾	41¾	41¾	— ¼	41¾
17¾	17		Am. Smelting	1,400	18¾	18¼	18¾	+ ¼	18½
4¾	4¾		Am. Snuff & Sal.	100	5	5	5		5
4¾	....		Am. Steel Foundries	2,700	4¾	4¾	4¾	— ¼	4¾
50	50		Do. pfd	100	50	50	50	— ½	50
24¾	24¾		Am. Stores	1,100	25¾	25¾	25¾	+ ¼	25½
24¾	24¾		Am. Sugar Refining	1,100	25¾	25¾	25¾	+ ¼	25½
100	100		Am. Tobacco	200	102½	102½	102½	— ½	102½
120	120		Am. Tobacco pfd	2,600	120½	120½	120½	— ½	120½
111	111		Am. Type Fdrs.	200	107	107	107	— ½	107
111	111		Am. Type Fdrs. pfd.	200	107	107	107	— ½	107
24¾	18	0a	Am. Water Wks.	2,500	24¾	24¼	24¾	+ ¼	24½
100	100		Do. pfd	200	100	100	100		100
24¾	7		Am. Woolen	1,400	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ¼	8¾
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,400	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ¼	25½
24¾	24¾		Am. Writ. Paper Cifs.	200	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ¼	25½
24¾	24¾		Am. Wire Load & Sm.	200	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ¼	25½
24¾	24¾		Do. 1st pfd	200	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ¼	25½
24¾	24¾		Anaconda Copper	24,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Anaconda Wire & Cable	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Anaconda Cop.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Anden Copper Mining	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Archer-Dan.-Mid.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Armour Del. pfd.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Armour of Ill. "A"	10,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Armour of Ill. "B"	10,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Armour of Ill. pfd.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Armold Const.	6,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Artloom	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Art Metal Const.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Asso. Apparel Ind.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Assoc. Dry Goods	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 1st pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 2d pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Associated Oil	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Atchison, T. & S. F.	1,200	220½	219	219½	—1½	219
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	108½	108½	108½	— ½	108½
24¾	24¾		Atl. Coast Line	100	168	167½	167½	— ½	167½
24¾	24¾		Atl. Gulf & W.I.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Atlantic Refining	21,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Atlas Powder	2,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Atlas Truck	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Auburn Auto	5,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Austin Nichols	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Aut. Prod. Aust.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Automotive	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Avia. Corp.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Aviation Corp.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Baldwin Locomotive	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Baldwin, 6 Ohio	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Baltimore & Ohio	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Barnet Leather	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Barnett Leather pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Barnsdall "A"	20,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Barsk Clear	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Beacon Oil	2,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Beatrice Creamery pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Beech-nut Packing	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Belding Hemingway	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bendix Aviation	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Best & Co.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bethlehem Steel	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 7r pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bigelow-Sanford	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bloomingdale Bros.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bloomingdale Bros. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Boeing Airplane	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bohn Aluminum	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bon Ami	200	71	70½	70½	— ½	70½
24¾	24¾		Booth Fisheries	2,300	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 1st pfd	2,300	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Borden	21,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Borg-Warner	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Boston & Maine	400	100	100	100	— ½	100
24¾	24¾		Bower Roll Mills "A"	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Briggs Mfg.	33,700	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Briggs & Stratton	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		British Empire Steel	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 2nd pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Brockway Motor	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Brklyn.-Manhat Trans.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Brklyn. Un. Gas	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Brown Shoe	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Brunswick Balke	2,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Brunswick Term. & Ry.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Buckeye Pipe	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. Ctf. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Budd Mfg.	2,500	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Budd Wheel	2,500	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bullard Co.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Burma Mines, Ltd.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Burroughs Add. Mach.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Bush Term.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 2d pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Butte Copper & Zinc	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Butte & Sup. Mining	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Butterick	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Byers Co.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		By-Products Coke	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		California Packing	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Calumet & Arizona	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Calumet & Hecla	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Campbell Wyant	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Canada Dry Ginger Ale	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Canada Southern Rr.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Canadian Pacific	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cannon Mills	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Capital Admin. "A"	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd "A"	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Case (J. I.)	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Caterpillar Tractor	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cavanaugh Dobbs	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Celotex Co.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Central Aguirre	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Central Alloy Steel	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Century Ribbon Mills	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cerro de Pasco	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Certain-teed	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Checker Cab	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chesapeake & Ohio	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chesapeake Corp	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chic. & Alton	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chicago & Alton pfd.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chic. & E. Ill. pfd.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chic. Gt Western	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		C., M., St. P. & Pacific.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chic. & N.W.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chic. Pneu. Tool	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chic. Rk. Isl. & Pacific	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 6s pfd	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chile-n Yellow Cab	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chickasha Cot. Oil	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Childs Co.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Chrysler	32,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		City Ice & Fuel	400	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		City Stores	2,700	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Clark Equip.	800	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Clev. & Pitts.	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Clev. & Pitts. Sol.	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Clinchfield Coal	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	20	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Coca Cola	1,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Coca Cola "A"	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Collins & Aikman	2,400	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Colorado Fuel & Iron	2,900	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Colo. & So. 1st pfd	20	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Columbia Gas & Elec	26,400	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. Rcts. pf. pd.	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. Rcts. full pd.	600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Columbia Graphophone	1,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Columbian Carbon	46,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Columbian Carbon Rts	7,400	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Commercial Credit	10,200	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. "A"	7,200	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd w-w.	60	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd "B"	10	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Com'l Investment Trust	5,400	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do./war.	1,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 6½% pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Com'l Solvents new	14,500	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Commonwealth South.	39,500	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Conde Nast Pub.	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Conderman Nairn	12,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Congress Cigar	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Consol. Cigar	1,700	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	20	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 6½% pfd	800	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cons. Film Ind.	1,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	400	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Con-olidated Gas	23,800	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. 5% pfd	600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Consol. R.E. Cuba pfd.	1,800	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Consolidated Textile	11,000	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Container "B"	200	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cont'l Baking "A"	2,700	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cont'l Baking "B"	10,200	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Continental Bank	2,400	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Continental Can	9,200	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cont'l Motors, Vtors	1,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Continental Insurance	2,500	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Continental Motors	16,000	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cont'l Oil of Delaware	46,700	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Continental Shares	14,000	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Corn Products	4,700	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cot. Cifs.	1,600	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cream of Wheat	10,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Crosley Radio	4,500	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Crown Cork	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Crucible Steel	2,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Cuba Cane Sugar	2,100	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
24¾	24¾		Do. pfd	200	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ¼	24½
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BY PORTER FLINT

George F. Getty, Inc., recently closed a deal for a 900-acre lease four miles northwest of the present producing area in the Santa Fe Springs field, and is constructing a derrick for Kellam No. 1, to be drilled near the intersection of Telegraph Road and where the Pacific Electric tracks cross the Hondo River.

Getty's new holdings are in a solid block and in the same general vicinity where the Oakridge Oil Company, later taken over by the Texas Company, drilled a series of tests to depths below 5000 feet. Standard and Shell have previously tested there, Shell having drilled a dry hole near the town of Maywood to 5500 feet in search of deep production. Standard drilled on the Hadley property and went to 6000 feet.

The nearest approach to a well was obtained by Oakridge when its Rocal No. 1 found favorable showings at about 5000 feet. This occurred several years ago. Storage tanks and flow lines were constructed in preparation for the anticipated flow, but the project failed to develop into a producer.

The acreage leased by Getty is virtually surrounded by a line of dry holes. Since the property has had fairly thorough tests to 6000 feet, Getty is prepared to assemble equipment enabling the project to be drilled to at least 9000 feet if necessary in its search for oil. The progress in this new undertaking, being in an area that has been neglected for the past two years, will be watched with considerable interest by other operators.

To Spud in Soon

Search for oil in the ocean off the coast near Carpinteria will be started soon by the Continental Oil Company, being the second company to become active there. A pier about one-half mile south of Carpinteria is nearing completion and within a day or two foundation for a derrick will be ready.

Continental's test, known as State Permit No. 124-1, is a short distance from State Permit No. 120-1 and No. 130-1, belonging to George F. Getty, Inc., and which were spudded in a few weeks ago. Indications are that prospecting along the shore has halted additional tests inland, where Continental drilled Franklin No. 1 wildcat and another test on the Kittie C. Bailiard property. Both of these initial tests developed considerable gas pressure and correlated showings obtained, but failed to develop into anything promising.

Nearly a score of individuals, reported to be representing various oil companies, have secured State permits to drill along the coast in the vicinity of Carpinteria. Like in other undertakings, only small drilling outfits will be assembled and spud in to validate the permits and then close down for a short time before equipping the projects with standard tools for deeper drilling.

Repressuring Effective

The Union Oil Company nearly had a new producer in the old old Lompoc field when its Purisima No. 6 suddenly blew in recently from a depth of 2980 feet and put out considerable oil for a few minutes and then quickly subsided.

A crew was attempting to put in a new string of casing to be cemented when increased gas pressure pushed oil to the top. The company stated that the performance was nothing unusual, as gas from the Elwood field is being used to repressure that district as an experiment, and announced that if any of the old wells showed any activity they would be immediately shut in.

Making Production Test

The Standard Oil Company yesterday was bailing for a production test in No. 8, on Section 1 on the north dome at Kettleman Hills, and indications were that it would be placed on production soon from a depth of 7108 feet. This project is several hundred feet from the Millham Exploration Company's Elliott No. 1 discovery well, which came in more than a year ago, and is also a short distance from the company's No. 81, which is preparing to be deepened.

Standard's No. 81 was a producer from a depth of 6873 feet and was putting out 1000 barrels of high-gravity oil per day when killed. A short distance away the Continental Oil Company's Elliott No. 12-8 is flowing 6200 barrels of oil per day, along with 150,000,000 cubic feet of gas. With completion of both of Standard's projects, the agreement to bring in additional wells on the north dome to deplete the gas pressure of Milham's producer will be consummated.

Small Output

The Lyon & Bordou's Blinn No. 1, which started to flow considerable oil several days ago from a deeper sand encountered in thet own-lot area at Potrero, is experiencing sand troubles encountered in other completed projects, and yesterday was not flowing. This project started coming in at a depth of 4786 feet, and is the deepest developed in that immediate vicinity.

The Globe Lease and Royalty Company's No. 6 also in the town-lot area, yesterday continued to produce steadily and is putting out approximately 300 barrels of oil per day from a depth of 3844 feet.

NEW YORK BOND PRICES

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—The bond market made a dull showing today and the price trend was highly mixed. Foreign obligations and the cheaper industrials and specialties sold off sharply, but small investment buying served to sustain most of the high-grade loans.

Bankers reported that the year-end credit requirements were being easily met and predicted lower money rates for next week. Call funds held at 6 per cents, just half the charge a year ago when concerted efforts were being made to keep it from going above 12.

Trading was not active and in time money rates, which are about 3 per cent below the levels of the last days of 1928. Nevertheless, the cost of loans is still a trifle too high to make bond purchases attractive.

Most of the selling in foreign bonds was in the lower priced issues, some of which went their lows for the year. Declines of 1 to 3 points were noted in numerous instances, chiefly in the Latin-American section. Rio Grande do Sul 7s made the maximum drop of 7 points. European government issues held firm.

Fluctuations in domestic bonds were erratic, for the market was very thin. Atchison general 4s and adjustment 4s each gained about a point, but the convertible 4s and the Rocky Mountain division 4s lost 2¼ and 1½, respectively. Pennsylvania Consolidated 4s touched a new low on a loss of 2½ points, but only $16,000 in principal amount was involved.

On the whole, changes in the rails, both first-grade and secondary, were narrow.

Miscellaneous bonds suffering from liquidation included Certain-teed 6½s, off 3 points to a new minimum; New York, Ontario and Western 4s, off 2; Transcontinental Oil 6½s without warrants off 5½; Warner Quinlan 7s, off 3½, to a new low, and Shuico 6½s, Series A, off 2. Vertientes Sugar 7½s, Pressed Steel Car 5s and Standard Oil of Florida 6s dropped 2 to nearly 5 points.

Net changes in the convertibles were mixed. American Telephone 4½s gained a point and International Telephone 4½s finished 3% higher after a maximum advance of nearly 4 points, but there were small recessions in Atchison 4s and American I. G. Chemical 5½s.

United States governments were steady, but only the Liberty Fourth 4¼s displayed much activity. That issue lost a minute fraction.

The quotations represent sales of both (bs) thousands of dollars) and high, low and closing prices in order given. To expedite transmission, the close is omitted when the same as the low, and both low and close when same as high.

(Sales in $1000)		High	Low	Close
Abitibi P.&P. 5s	'53	81	80½	80½
Ala. Pow. 5s	'56	101	101	101
Alas. G.M. 6s	'26	71	70½	70½
Do. A 6s	'29			
Alleg. Corp. 5s	'44	93	92½	92½
Do. 5s	'50	91	90½	90½
Allis Chal. 5s	'37	97	97	97
Am. Ch. 7s	'47	97	97	97
Am. Ch. 5½s	'49	97	97	97
Am. I.G.C. 5½s	'49	103½	103½	103½
Am. Int. 5s	'49	101½	101½	101½
Am. Smelting 5s	'47	100½	100½	100½
Am. Sug. 6s	'37	104	104	104
Am. Tob. 4s	'51	122½	122½	122½
Do. 4s	'61	122½	122½	122½
Do. cvt. 6s	'44	155	154½	154½
Do. cvt. 6s	'44	155	154½	154½
Do. cvt. 4½s	'51	122½	122½	122½
Do. cvt. 4½s	'51	122½	122½	122½
Do. cvt. 4½s	'53	122½	122½	122½
Do. cvt. 4½s	'53	122½	122½	122½
Am. Wat. W. 6s	'34	97	97	97

WHAT'S DOING today

The Times cooking class meets in the Southwest Building demonstration room, 130 South Broadway, at 2 p.m., under the direction of Mrs. Mabelle (Chef) Wyman. Free to all. Elevators to door.

City Club dinner-dance to usher in New Year, clubhouse, 6:30 p.m.

Girls' Corner Club New Year meeting, clubrooms, Auditorium Building, Fifth and Olive streets, 6 p.m.

Caledonian Club and Clan Cameron joint concert and dance, Forester's Hall, 1329 South Hope street, 8 p.m.

Chautauqua Reading Circle meeting, Philharmonic Auditorium, 1:30 p.m.

Theta Chi fraternity luncheon, University Club, noon.

Sigma Nu luncheon meeting, University Club, noon.

American Legion Luncheon Club meeting, Alexandria noon.

Entrepe Opera Reading Club program and presentation of Rossini's opera "Barber of Seville," Ebell clubhouse, 10 a.m.

University Book Club Christmas party, 3420 University avenue, morning. A sketch, "Yuletide in Other Lands," will be presented.

Southwest Museum exhibit, Highland Park, afternoon.

The Huntington Library and Art Gallery are open from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. to those holding admission cards. Admission cards may be obtained by sending a stamped and self-addressed envelope to the library in San Marino, Cal.

Motion Pictures

Fox Palace, Broadway between Sixth and Seventh—"Sunny Side Up."

Fox Criterion, 642 South Grand avenue—"Hot for Paris."

Million Dollar, Broadway at Third —"Skinner Steps Out."

Grauman's Chinese, 6925 Hollywood Boulevard "Condemned."

Grauman's State, Seventh and Broadway—"Romance of Rio Grande."

Paramount, Sixth and Hill—"Street."

Tower, Eighth and Broadway—"The Sap."

United Artists, Broadway near Ninth—"Taming of the Shrew."

Fox Carthay Circle, Wilshire at Carthay Circle—"Rio Rita."

Fox Grauman's Egyptian, 6708 Hollywood Boulevard—"So This is College."

Warner Brothers Downtown, Seventh and Hill streets—"Paris."

Warner Brothers, Hollywood at Wilcox—"General Crack."

Fox Westlake, Alvarado near Sixth—"Unholy Night."

Fox West Coast Uptown, Tenth and Western—"Darkened Rooms."

Fox Boulevard, Washington and Vermont—"Niz on Dames."

R.K.O. Orpheum, Broadway at Ninth—"Hit the Deck."

R.K.O., Hill at Eighth—"Flight."

Stage

Biltmore, Fifth and Grand—"Diamond Lil."

Figueroa Playhouse, Figueroa near Ninth—Dark.

Belasco, Eleventh and Hill—Dark.

Egan, Figueroa at Pico — "Her First Night."

El Capitan, Hollywood near Highland—"The Boomerang."

Vine-street, Vine near Sunset—"The Rear Car."

Hollywood Playhouse, 1733 North Vine—"Dear Me."

Majestic, Ninth and Broadway—"Among the Married."

Mason, 127 South Broadway—Dark.

Mayan, Eleventh and Hill—"Oh Susanna."

Hollywood Music Box, 6126 Hollywood Boulevard—Dark.

Actors', Grand and Seventh—

President, 744 South Broadway—"Last Ferguson Family."

Varieties

Burbank, Sixth and Main—Burlesque.

Follies, Sixth and Main—Burlesque.

CLEARINGS, MONEY

Clearings yesterday were $32,185,047.07, increase of $7,627,400.93 from corresponding day last year.

CLEARINGS

1929.	1928.	1927.
Monday....		
$.185,047.07	$39,811,448.00	New Year's

BANK DEBITS

Tuesday $37,432,234.00

SAN FRANCISCO CLEARINGS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Bank clearings, $39,100,000.

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

Selling prices for drafts of substantial sums furnished by Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank:

France, per 100 francs 3.95
Germany, per 100 reichsmarks 23.88
Italy, per 100 lira 14.04
Belgium, per 100 belga 13.93
Spain, per 100 pesetas 41.10
Portugal, per Aust. pound 4.86½
Greece, per 100 drachmas 1.59
Holland, per 100 guilders (paper) 12.18
Czecho-Slovakia, per 100 kronen 2.96
Denmark, per 100 kroner 26.87
Poland, per 100 zlotys 11.20
Norway, per 100 kroner 26.86
Sweden, per 100 kroner 26.92
Switzerland, per 100 francs 19.43
Montreal, per 100 dollars 99.90
Mexico, per 100 pesos 49.50
Cuba, per 100 pesos 99.90
Brazil, per 100 milreis 10.82
Japan, per 100 yen 49.70
Shanghai, per 100 taels 71.25
Bombay, per 100 rupees 36.55
Calcutta, per 100 rupees 36.55
Singapore, per 100 dollars 49.20
Java, per 100 guilders 1.75
Bangkok, per 100 ticals 70.50
Hongkong, per 100 dollars 49.20
Manila, per 100 pesos 49.70
Australia, per pound sterling 4.84½
Canada, per 100 dollars 99.90
Calcutta, per pound sterling 4.84½
Bombay, per 100 rupees 36.55
Java, per 100 guilders 40.20
Vienna, per 100 schillings 14.09

NEW YORK RATES

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Foreign exchange irregular. Great Britain in dollars, others in cents:

Great Britain, demand, 4.87 9-16; cables, 4.87 5-16; sixty-day bills on banks, 4.83¼; commercial, demand, 4.83¾; cables, 4.83 15-16. France, demand, 3.93¾; cables, 3.93 15-16. Belgium, demand, 13.93; cables, 13.93½. Germany, demand, 23.88; cables, 23.88½. Holland, demand, 40.34; cables, 40.36. Norway, demand, 26.80; cables, 26.81. Denmark, demand, 26.80; cables, 26.81. Switzerland, demand, 19.42; cables, 19.43. Spain, demand, 12.63; cables, 12.64. Greece, demand, 1.59; cables, 1.59½. Poland, demand, 11.20; cables, 11.21. Czecho-Slovakia, demand, 2.96; cables, 2.96½. Austria, demand, 1.77½; cables, 1.77½. Hungary, demand, 14.08; cables, 14.09. Rumania, demand, .60; cables, .60½. Argentina, demand, 41.31¼; cables, 41.31¼. Brazil, demand, 10.82; cables, 10.83. Finland, demand, 2.49.60; cables, 2.49.60. Shanghai, demand, 51.71; cables, 51.71. Montreal, demand, 99.90; cables, 99.90. Mexico City, demand, 58.03¾; cables, 58.03¾.

CALL MONEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Call money steady; 6 per cent all day. Time loans firm; 30 days, 4¼@5; 60-90 days, 4¾@5; four months, 4¾@5. Commercial paper, 5@5¼. Bankers' acceptances steady; 30 days, 4¼@4; 60 days, 4¼@4; 4 months, 4¼@4; 5-6 months, 4¼@4¼.

BAR SILVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Bar silver, Mexican dollars, 34¾.

LONDON, Dec. 30. (AP)—Bar silver, 23½ per ounce. Money, 2½ per cent.

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THE WEATHER

[Official Report]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 30.—[Reported by H. B. Hersey, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 66 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 12 per cent; 5 p.m., 25 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 3 miles. Temperatures, highest, 69 deg.; lowest, 30 deg. Rainfall for season, .32 of an inch; normal to date, 4.61 inches; last season to date, 4.66 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS. — Dec. 30: Light to moderate rains have fallen during the past twenty-four hours in the New England States, New York, Pennsylvania, and in the eastern lake region and in Washington and Oregon, but no precipitation of importance was reported in other portions of the country. It was quite cool this morning in the Eastern Gulf and South Atlantic States, but temperatures were generally normal or above elsewhere. In Southern California fair, warm weather prevailed yesterday. It was cloudy or partly cloudy at most stations this morning, with temperatures a little above normal. Partly cloudy weather may be expected in Los Angeles and vicinity Tuesday, with temperature near the normal.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES.—Los Angeles, Dec. 31: Sun rises 6:59 a.m., sets 4:54 p.m. Moon rises 7:31 a.m., sets 5:31 p.m. Los Angeles Harbor, Dec. 31: High tides, 8:39 a.m. and 10:53 p.m.; low tides, 2:41 a.m. and 4:28 p.m.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. — Dec. 30: Minimum and maximum temperatures from Southern California points, reported yesterday to the Los Angeles office of the U. S Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Imperial	79	43
Los Angeles Harbor	62	54
Mt. Wilson	69	45
Pasadena	62	46
Pomona	61	45
Porterville	60	25
Redlands	64	46
Riverside	75	43
San Bernardino	78	44
Santa Ana	90	48
Santa Barbara	65	43

LOCAL FORECAST

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy and unsettled Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate temperature.

FLYING WEATHER REPORT

(Courtesy Grand Central Air Terminal)

Los Angeles to San Francisco: Fog over San Joaquin Valley; high overcast elsewhere; moderate variable winds aloft, mostly west and northwest at high levels.

Los Angeles to Las Vegas: Overcast and unsettled; moderate west and southwest winds aloft.

Los Angeles to Albuquerque: Overcast and unsettled; moderate west to southwest winds aloft.

STATE FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. — Weather forecasts:

San Francisco and vicinity: Partly cloudy and mild Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate northwest winds.

Northern California: Partly cloudy and mild Tuesday and probably Wednesday; unsettled at times, with rains over the extreme north portion; moderate northwest winds on the coast.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Partly cloudy and mild Tuesday and probably Wednesday; gentle to moderate northwest winds.

Southern California: Cloudy and unsettled Tuesday and probably Wednesday; moderate temperature; moderate westerly winds on the coast.

ARIZONA FORECAST

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 30.—Forecast for Arizona: Tuesday partly cloudy; Wednesday generally fair; little change in temperature.

COLORADO RIVER

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 17.88 feet. Discharge, Monday, 4750 cubic feet.

TEMPERATURES

Stations—Conditions, 5 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Tempera-tures—Precip-itation.
Boise—Clear	32	14	T.
Boston—Clear	42	32	0
Chicago—Clear	32	0	0
Denver—Clear	60	36	0
Edmonton—Cloudy	34	16	0
El Paso—Cloudy	54	32	0
Eureka—Clear	54	42	T.
Flagstaff—Cloudy	56	16	0
Fresno—Cloudy	60	32	0
Havre—Partly cloudy	40	30	0
Helena—Clear	52	38	0
Kamloops—Pt. cloudy	46	36	0
Kansas City—Clear	64	42	0
Lander—Partly cloudy	34	0	0
Los Angeles—Cloudy	60	50	0
Minneapolis—Pt. cloudy	46	30	0
Modena—Pt. cloudy	34	16	0
Needles—Cloudy	66	36	0
New Orleans—Clear	68	44	0
New York—Cloudy	40	30	T.
North Head—Pt. cloudy	48	44	.06
Oklahoma—Clear	54	30	0
Omaha—Clear	62	38	0
Phoenix—Cloudy	70	44	0
Portland, Or.—Cloudy	50	36	.06
Red Bluff—Clear	54	34	0
Roseburg—Cloudy	52	36	.04
St. Louis—Clear	66	44	0
St. Paul—Pt. cloudy	46	34	0
Sacramento—Foggy	38	34	0
Salt Lake City—Pt. cldy.	40	26	0
San Diego—Cloudy	70	57	0
San Francisco—Cloudy	50	40	0
Santa Fe—Pt. cloudy	50	24	0
Seattle—Cloudy	48	44	0
Spokane—Clear	46	32	T.
Tonopah—Clear	44	34	0
Tucson—Raining	66	46	0
Washington—Clear	52	32	0
Winnemucca—Cloudy	40	30	0
Winnipeg—Pt. cloudy	36	30	.01
Yuma—Cloudy	66	50	T.

VITAL RECORD

INTENTION TO MARRY

The following notices of intention to marry were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ABRAMOVITZ — TYCKCHINSKY. Morris Abramovitz, 29; Marie L. Tyckchinsky, 27.

ARNOLDS—McGREGOR. John P. Arnolds, Jr., 23; Daisy E. McGregor, 21.

ALVAREZ—MINOJOSA. Juan Alvarez, 20; Augusting Minojosa, 18.

ASHTON—STOUT. Herbert Ashton, Jr., 27; Billie E. Stout, 24.

BLAY—DOMINGUEZ. Leo Blay, 66; Soledad Dominguez, 42.

BUTLER—ARMSTRONG. Bernard L. Butler, 25; Olive B. Armstrong, 25.

BELA — PENNINGTON. Nickolas F. Bela, 29; Edna E. B. Pennington, 30.

BACA — NORTE. Lewis Baca, 28; Martha Norte, 21.

BADALAMENTE — NELLI. Steve Badalamento, 24; Nelli Nelli, 21.

CINCOTTA—VERGONA. Anthony F. Cincotta, 21; Paine M. Vergona, 18.

CHRISTIANSON—KUMPE. Arthur J. Christianson, 40; Esther M. Kumpe, 29.

COUCH—EYERS. Theodore Couch, 27; Linilda L. Myers, 27.

DOMINGUEZ—DOMINGUEZ. Jack Dominguez, 30; Lupe Dominguez, 28.

DURAS—ROUS. Hugo Dinhas, 36; Agnes Rous, 32.

DATRIAT—REEVES. Jimmie V. Datria, 23; Mary E. Reeves, 17.

DAVIS—CAVANESS. Charles J. Davis, 42; Jennie R. Cavaness, 46.

DEMENY—MARTELL. Arthur J. Demeny, 21; Ruth M. Martell, 19.

ELIAS—VELASQUEZ. John Elias, 20; Lillian Velasquez, 17.

ECHEVARRIA—MATEO. Dave Echevarria, 24; Mary N. Mateo, 21.

FIERMAN—WEINBERG. Fred Fierman, 22; Lilyan Weinberg, 21.

FROST—BREWCOTER. Bernard W. Frost, 58; Hattie M. Brewcoter, 57.

GRAY—SMITH. Henry W. Gray, 28; Myrtle R. Smith, 25.

GAIN—ODRNWALT. Arthur G. Gain, 21; Ruth E. Cornwalt, 19.

GALYON—JACOBSEN. Carl H. Galyon, 29; Elsie M. Jacobsen, 25.

HOLBROOK—WATKINS. Sidney E. Holbrook, 27; Bertha F. Watkins, 20.

HARDING—MENDOZA. Noel M. Harding, 22; Mary Mendoza, 22.

HOFFMEISTER—COCHRAN. Eldon C. Hoffmeister, 21; L. Irene Cochran, 17.

HOLDEN — JONES. John W. Holden, 49; Cora Jones, 49.

HOROWITZ — LEWIS. Abe Horowitz, 28; Charlotte Lewis, 23.

HAWORTH—ARCHIBALD. Alfred R. Haworth, 32; Elda Archibald, 28.

INFANTE—RUBIES. Fernando D. Infante, 28; Marie R. Rubies, 30.

JACQUEZ—MERINO. Alfred Jacquez, 19; Violia V. Merino, 22.

JOLLEY—McKINNEY. Nelson E. Jolley, 21; Sylvia B. McKinney, 20.

JONES—MILLIKEN. Lawrence E. A. Jones, 21; Beatrice V. Milliken, 18.

JENKYN—PELLEW. Thomas M. Jenkyn, 36; Dorothy C. Pellew, 37.

KELLEY—LAMAR. Delbert E. Kelley, 23; Gladys A. Lamar, 22.

LEE—HERBERT. Robert J. Lee, 24; Catherine Herbert, 17.

McKENZIE — ARTHUR. Malcolm M. McKenzie, 36; Marion B. Arthur, 28.

MACDONALD—FLYNNE. Clifford A. Macdonald, 38; Virginia A. Flynne, 22.

MARTINEZ—ORTEGA. Secundino Martinez, 33; Maria Ortega, 24.

MOORE—TALLEY. Claude V. Moore, 25; Ola M. Talley, 28.

MUELLER — MEYER. Herbert A. Mueller, 43; Elly Meyer, 36.

MIYASAKI — KARIYA. Gorematsu Miyasaki, 35; Ei Kariya, 28.

MARBACH—JOHNSON. Earl A. Marbach, 41; Maude I. Johnson, 29.

MARTIN—BEHRENS. William O. Martin, 42; Alba M. Behrens, 43.

MARGULIES — WOLFSTONE. Henry D. Margulies, 25; Anna Wolfstone, 25.

MARSH—FITZGERALD. Lloyd Marsh, 25; Agnes D. Fitzgerald, 22.

MOORE—SMITH. Leo S. Moore, 23; Irene B. Smith, 20.

NONES — NONES. Constant J. Nones, 60; Emma M. Nones, 50.

NUSSBAUM—SNYDER. Vernon Nussbaum, 29; Ella I. Snyder, 29.

ORRANTE — VELASQUEZ. Juan Orrante, 35; Ma J. Velasquez, 30.

INTENTION TO MARRY

The following notices of intention to marry were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

PETERMICHEL—RALPHS. Harry J. Petermichel, 28; Florence I. Ralphs, 24.

PACK—CLAY. Kelvin H. Pack, 21; Grace L. Clay, 19.

PRESTON—BARRETT. Lawrence M. Preston, 49; Edna Barrett, 37.

PATTERSON—GLYNN. William Patterson, 22; Marjorie L. Glynn, 18.

PACE — HEDGES. Bernard L. Pace, 24; Ruth V. Hedges, 21.

PIROUTEK — BURNS. Otto Pirousek, 39; Willie L. Burns, 37.

RITCHIE — WETLE. George Ritchie, Jr., 23; Mildred Wetle, 18.

RIGG—SMITH. Horace W. Rigg, 56; Katherine Smith, 54.

RICKERTS—CARMICHAEL. George Ricketts, 22; Christine Carmichael, 17.

SWANSON—LILJESLAD. Arthur W. Swanson, 29; Alice Liljeslad, 22.

SOLORZANO—JIMENEZ. Ramon Solorzano, 23; Ma R. Jimenez, 19.

SEEGER—BRILLHART. Earle L. Seeger, 24; Reba O. Brillhart, 19.

SIMA—COLLINGE. Frederick F. Sima, 26; Mildred Collinge, 26.

STEINBERGER—ZUSMAN. Edward I. Steinberger, 35; Lillian Zusman, 28.

SPEAR—JEANS. Edgar B. Spear, 30; Jean L. Jeans, 28.

STEVENS—ROBINSON. Jack Stevens, 32; Thelma J. Robinson, 21.

SCHOLL — TROMBATORE. William C. Scholl, Jr., 22; Ann F. Trombatore, 22.

STONE—HOLM. Marshall W. Stone, 29; Bernice M. Holm, 24.

STARK — HILMEN. Porter W. Stark, 24; Corrine A. Hilmen, 20.

TUCKER—MOODY. Gilbert J. Tucker, 21; Cathrrn A. Moody, 19.

TERPORTEN—GUILLIANA. Jacob Terporten, 44; Elvira C. Guilliana, 38.

VAUGHT—FOWLEY. Edgar L. Vaught, 21; Beulah M. Fowler, 19.

VAUGHAN—MORRIS. George B. Vaughan, 24; Martha C. Morris, 24.

WARNER — NEWELL. Daniel W. Warner, 22; Lona A. Newell, 22.

WARRELL—WINN. Herbert L. Warrell, 22; Margaret A. Winn, 19.

WISSING — DORR. Joseph Wissing, 44; Catherine Dorr, 42.

WICKLUND—TECK. Benford E. Wicklund, 27; Lottie A. Teck, 42.

WYNN—GREEN. Joseph A. Wynn, 35; Addie F. Green, 33.

BIRTHS

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BERNSTEIN. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, Boy, California Lutheran Hospital, December 29.

BERKELEY. Mr. and Mrs. George, Boy, California Lutheran Hospital, December 28.

BERMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Paul, Boy, California Lutheran Hospital, December 24.

BOUGHTON. Mr. and Mrs. Paul, Daughter, California Lutheran Hospital, December 23.

BOWLES. Mr. and Mrs. Archibald, Boy, Good Samaritan Hospital, December 29.

BURGESS. Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Boy, California Lutheran Hospital, December 24.

CASE. Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Boy, Private Home Hospital, December 14.

CORRIGAN. Mr. and Mrs. Edward, Boy, St. Vincent's Hospital, December 28.

DOBERTS. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore, Daughter, Good Samaritan Hospital, December 23.

DUNLAP. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben, Daughter, St. Vincent's Hospital, December 24.

DUNLAP. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur, Daughter, Good Samaritan Hospital, December 26.

FENNINGS. Mr. and Mrs. Leland, Boy, California Lutheran Hospital, December 25.

GAVELLE. Mr. and Mrs. Martin, Daughter, California Lutheran Hospital, December 23.

GLENCOCK. Mr. and Mrs. John, Boy, 716 West One Hundred and Sixth street, December 25.

HAST. Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Boy, California Lutheran Hospital, December 24.

MITCHELL. Mr. and Mrs. Roy, Boy, Private Home Hospital, December 14.

O'BRIEN. Mr. and Mrs. Edward, Boy, St. Vincent's Hospital, December 28.

ROBERTS. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore, Daughter, Good Samaritan Hospital, December 23.

SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben, Daughter, St. Vincent's Hospital, December 24.

THOMPSON. Mr. and Mrs. James, Boy, Martha Lee Hospital, December 23.

TRIMBLE. Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh, Boy, St. Vincent's Hospital, December 24.

ZIEGLER. Mr. and Mrs. John, Daughter, Martha Lee Hospital, December 21.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED

AUGENBLICK. Dora against Samuel V.

BELTRAN. Soledad against Emilio.

CALLES. Ornalia V. against Tony.

CONLEY. Carolyn C. against Lige C.

BERKOWITZ. Mary against Mathew.

FISHER. William F. against Ella M.

HAMLET. Eula against Eugene.

HARRIS. Charlotte M. against De Witt D.

HAMILTON. Rita E. against Roy N.

KOZEL. Norma L. against Louis A.

LYNE. Lillian M. against Frederick R.

McDOLE. Helen R. against Harold E.

METZGER. Evelyn L. against Roy.

PFEIFER. Jennie against Martin E.

SALDANO. Remedio against Florencio.

UECKER. Merrse L. against Charles F.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED

AYALA. Crecencia from Lazaro.

CAMOK. Margaret from Harry.

DIXON. Ivy from Stanley.

FIGUERAS. Arlie from Jose.

GREEN. Florence from Clyde.

MILLER. Vera E. from David W.

MINEER. Albert from Casar.

MITCHELL. Madge L. from Joseph S.

MOORE. Anna B. from Phillip C.

SMITH. Adele F. from Lee Everette.

STIDHAM. Grace F. from Tom.

ZEICH. Elizabeth M. from Karl.

NATURALIZATION PETITIONS

Petitions for naturalization, with name, nationality and residence of those have been filed with the United States District Court as follows:

John Ogilvie, 312 North Irving Boulevard, Los Angeles, Cal.; Great Britain.

Catherine Ogilvie, 312 North Irving Boulevard, Los Angeles, Cal.; Great Britain.

Abraham Balian, 5469 West Adams, Los Angeles, Cal.; Syria and Lebanon.

Marie Anna Bernik, 1163 North Westmoreland avenue, Los Angeles, Cal.; Serbia, Croatia and Slovenia.

Eugene Nicholas Shatiloff, 1206 South Mariposa avenue, Los Angeles, Cal.; Russia.

Marko Zuvella Ponzetta, 582 West Ninth street, San Pedro, Cal.; Serbia, Croatia and Slovenia.

John Condon, 321 Tenth street, Huntington Beach, Cal.; Great Britain.

William Charles Bredby, 511 Exton street, Inglewood, Cal.; Great Britain.

William James Hollingshead, 1885 Lundy avenue, Pasadena, Cal.; Great Britain.

Emilie Haselhofet, care Garfield Hospital, Monterey Park, Cal.; Germany.

Meta Andres, Gend, 1652 Blanche street, Pasadena, Cal.; Denmark and Iceland.

Christian Geertsen, 1652 Blanche street, Pasadena, Cal.; Denmark and Iceland.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
BISSELL, Fannie. Los Angeles	74	Dec. 27
BREWER, Harry. Los Angeles	72	Dec. 27
BRICE, William. Los Angeles	63	Dec. 27
EDSON, Arthur. Los Angeles	76	Dec. 27
FIELDS, Iva. Los Angeles	40	Dec. 27
HACKWELL, Anna. Los Angeles	69	Dec. 27
HARPER, Lois. Los Angeles	59	Dec. 28
HENKIN, Anna. Los Angeles	39	Dec. 28
JONES, Nettie. Los Angeles	73	Dec. 29
LANTZNER, Frederick. Los Angeles	59	Dec. 26
LINDSEY, Martha. Los Angeles	60	Dec. 25
McDONALD, Frances. Los Angeles	80	Dec. 27
McMANUS, John. Los Angeles	64	Dec. 27
MILLER, Florence. Los Angeles	72	Dec. 27
MILLER, Louise. Los Angeles	72	Dec. 27
NAGEL, Augusta. Los Angeles	79	Dec. 29
OYER, Matilde. Los Angeles	65	Dec. 27
PAPE, Elizabeth. Los Angeles	71	Dec. 28
PARR, Andrew. Los Angeles	79	Dec. 27
SWANSON, Andrew. Los Angeles	60	Dec. 28

DEATHS

With Funeral Announcements

AINCIART. Jean Pierre Ainciart, at his home on the Bastanchury Ranch, Fullerton, aged 42 years.

Funeral services Thursday, January 2, at 10 a.m., from Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 3756 East Third street. Interment, Calvary. McAulay & Sutera, Fullerton, funeral directors.

APIOU. Funeral for Frank Apiou today at 10 a.m. in the chapel of Godeau & Martinoni, 826 West Washington street; thence to Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Interment, Calvary.

BENNETT. Late of 2702 Westhaven street, Ella Bennett, aged 73 years.

Remains at the parlors of E. Clair Overholtzer Co., 1236 South Grand.

BROWN. Funeral services of Mrs. Laura Bond Brown, aged 78 years, will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Delmer A. Smith Mortuary, 731 West Washington. Entombment, Sunnyside Mausoleum.

BRUCE. December 30, Ada Jewell Bruce, aged 18 years, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bruce.

Funeral announcement later by Brown Brothers, 935 West Washington street.

CONWAY. Amanda Conway, devoted wife of Byron Conway and loving mother of Mrs. Bob Brown.

Services Thursday, 2:30 p.m., from the parlors of L. F. Utter Co., 4254 South Broadway.

CRAWFORD. Remains of Mary Belle Crawford were forwarded Sunday by Pierce Brothers to Salem, Or., for services and interment.

DAWSON. At 5927 Compton avenue, Ida Oriz Dawson, beloved mother of Roy, Charles R., Harry C., Ned M., Viola and Edna A. Dawson, and Nina M. Duncan of this city; Nonie Dawson of Long Beach, and brother of Syed A Parker of this city.

Funeral services will be held from the residence today at 1 p.m. W. A. Brown, funeral director.

ELLIOTT. Frank E., beloved husband of Angie B. Elliott and father of Darrel, Ester and Howard Elliott.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Delmer A. Smith Mortuary, 731 West Washington.

EVANS. At San Diego, December 30, Mrs. Minnie Hance Evans, beloved wife of J. Wirte Evans; loving daughter of C. H. Hance, and sister of B. F. Hance of 4415 Berryman avenue, Culver City.

Funeral Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Hollywood Mausoleum.

DEATHS

With Funeral Announcements.

EDWARDS. December 30, William Edwards, aged 29 years.

Funeral announcement later by Brown Brothers, 935 West Washington street.

FERGUSON. December 30, Carrie, widow of the late John F. Ferguson of Inglewood, Cal.

Funeral services at the chapel of the White-Emerson Co., Whittier, Thursday, January 2, at 10:30 a.m.

GARDNER. Henry D. Gardner.

Funeral services today at 2 p.m. from the Le Roy Bagley Mortuary, 5440 Hollywood Boulevard, under auspices of the Motion Picture Relief Fund.

GAYLER. At Venice, Cal., Mrs. Mary Gayler, beloved mother of Mrs. Frances McPherson of Detroit, Mich., and grandmother of Mrs. Lela Behrens of Venice, Cal.

Funeral services today at 10:30 a.m. from the chapel of W. A. Brown, 1815 South Flower street.

GENSTEL. Nathanial Gerstel.

Services today at 2 p.m. at the Glasband & Groman Mortuary, 901 West Washington street.

GILLIAN. December 30, John T. Gillian, beloved husband of Theodora Gillian.

Funeral Thursday, January 2, at 2 p.m., at the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1031 South Grand avenue.

GOLDFARB. Mollie, late of 1238 North Sycamore, beloved wife of Maurice Goldfarb, mother of Mrs. Lester Simon of Chicago and grandmother of Betty Carroll and Earl Stanley of Chicago

Services today at 10 a.m. at the Glasband & Groman Mortuary, 901 West Washington street. (Chicago papers please copy.)

GREEN. Funeral services for Rev. Harry David Green will be held today at 10 a.m. at the Hermon Free Methodist Church under direction of Brown Brothers, 935 West Washington street.

HALWE. Services for Evelyn Halwe today at 4 p.m. from Pierce Brothers' chapel.

HANNIBAL. December 28, Charolette, beloved wife of Thomas Hannibal, mother of Mrs. J. E. Nunnally, Mrs. George De Genaro, Thomas H., Jr., and Florence Hannibal.

Funeral services today at 2 p.m. at the parlors of Pierce & Lowe, 923 West Washington street.

HARPER. December 28, Lois Dell Harper, Eastern Star services at the Forest Lawn Cemetery chapel, Tuesday at 11 a.m. Bresee Brothers, directors.

HOOD. John W., at 1917 Vista Del Mar.

Remains at the Delmer A. Smith Mortuary, 731 West Washington.

HUESSNER. Antoinette Huessner of Alhambra.

Services Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the Jones, Andrix & Mortuar Mortuary, 717 West Washington street.

JONES. December 29, Mrs. Ellen Jones, aged 73 years, at her residence, 2763 Lysells Place, beloved mother of Miss Margaret E. Jones of Los Angeles and Robert W. Jones of Randolph, Wis.

Services today at 3 p.m. from the Little Church of the Flowers, Forest Lawn. Edwards Brothers, directors.

JONES. At 2861 West Avenue 33, Nettie B. Pease, beloved wife of George E. Jones; mother of Clarence W. Jones, Mildred B. Pease and George E. Jones, Jr.

Funeral services at Cresse's, Eagle Rock, Tuesday at 1 p.m.

KEATES. December 29, Rev. Harry R. Keates at his home, 1468 North Chester avenue, Pasadena; former pastor Pasadena Friends Church and Monthly Meeting of Friends.

Funeral at the First Friends Church, Pasadena, Tuesday, December 31, at 2 p.m.

KELSEY. December 29, Sarah Kelsey, sister of Francis J. Banks.

Funeral at Pierce Brothers' chapel 855 Figueroa, Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

KREDER. Charles O. Kreder, loving father of W. A. Kreder of Los Angeles, and Kenneth P. Kreder of Montclair, New Jersey.

Masonic services Thursday at 1 p.m. from the parlors of L. F. Utter Co., 4254 South Broadway.

KREMER. In this city, Grace L. Kremer, aged 54 years, loving mother of Gus F. Kremer of Los Angeles and sister of Mrs. Zelma Otto and Ralph J. Kremer of Denver, Colo.

Services at the parlors of E. Clair Overholtzer Co., 1236 South Grand.

KRIEG. Joseph Krieg, aged 70 years.

Funeral today at 10 a.m. from the chapel of E. Clair Overholtzer Co., 1236 South Grand.

LATTIMER. Fred Lattimer.

Remains at the chapel of W. A. Brown, 1815 South Flower street.

LE CRON. Mrs. John J. Le Cron, late of 1815½ North Mariposa, Hollywood, beloved wife of John J. Le Cron and loving mother of James Cron of Des Moines, Iowa, and Leslie M. Le Cron of Los Angeles.

Announcement of services later by Russell Mortuary, 950 West Washington street.

LOWDERMILK. The funeral services of Albert W. Lowdermilk will be held today at 2 p.m. from the chapel of W. A. Brown, 1815 South Flower street.

MACK. Florence Mack.

Services will be held today at 3 p.m. from Rupps Mortuary, 950 West Washington street.

MADSEN. Mary E. Madsen of 1244 East Twenty-eighth street, beloved sister of Mrs. Mary M. Williams of Lincoln, Neb., Emma Madsen of Hamilton, Mont., and aunt of Mrs. Charles H. Beck and Mrs. H. A. Bredin of Los Angeles.

Funeral from the chapel of W. H. Overholtzer, 1719 South Flower street, Thursday, January 2, at 10 a.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

MAITERT. John Maitert.

Remains forwarded to Alliance, O., by Ivy H. Overholtzer.

McDERMITH. Edwin O., at 2648 Cudahy street, loving husband of Bessie McDermith and father of Lorus McDermith of St. Louis, Edna Winter of Los Angeles, and sister of Fannie McDermith of Los Angeles.

Services today at 2 p.m. at the Wheat-Hairstreet chapel, Huntington Park.

McDONALD. Mrs. Frances McDonald.

Remains at the chapel of W. A. Brown, 1815 South Flower street.

McMICKEN. December 27, William Henry McMicken, beloved husband of Louise Kerlew McMicken.

Funeral today at 3:15 p.m. at the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1031 South Grand avenue.

MECKLER. In this city, December 29, Sophia W. Meckler.

Services Wednesday, 1652 Pa. Sharp & O'Connor, directors.

MILLS. December 29, Mrs. Sarah L. Mills of Pasadena, widow of the late John R. Mills.

Funeral Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at parlors of Dwight L. Burnham, 317 Lincoln avenue, Pasadena.

MOORE. Phoebe Ann Moore.

Services will be held today at 1 p.m. at the Little Church of the Flowers, Forest Lawn Cemetery, under direction of Rupps Mortuary, 950 West Washington street.

MORAN. Requiem mass for Edward J. Moran today at 8 a.m. at St. Agnes Church, Vermont and West Adams. H. C. Dellenbaugh & Co., directors.

MURPHY. Services for Joseph M. Murphy today at 3 p.m. from Pierce Brothers' chapel. Interment, Hollywood Mausoleum.

MYERS. The funeral services of Mrs. Ethel Myers will be held today at 10 a.m. from the chapel of W. A. Brown, 1815 South Flower street.

NAGEL. The funeral services of Mrs. Augusta Nagel will be held today at 3:30 p.m. from the chapel of W. A. Brown, 1

The Weather
FORECAST FOR LOS ANGELES AND SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA: Cloudy and unsettled today and probably tomorrow; moderate temperature. Maximum and minimum temperatures for yesterday: [illegible]
FLYING CONDITIONS: Overcast and unsettled; ceiling [illegible]. Full report on last page of Part I.

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CITY NEWS—EDITORIAL—SOCIETY—THE DRAMA

LABORS ENDED BY GRAND JURY

Body's Final Report Handed in Before Dead Line

Men and Staff Commended, Chief Davis Lauded

Jails Held Disgrace to City; Two New Ones Urged

Establishing a record for closing its work on time the 1929 grand jury yesterday submitted its final report to Superior Judge Doran and was excused from further service. The jury was not dismissed, however, before Foreman Ellwood De Garmo paid his compliments to Dist.-Atty. Fitts and Judge Doran for their assistance in directing the grand jury body's work during the year now ending.

Of the District Attorney's office, Foreman De Garmo said the jury found that department "remodeled and raised to a high degree of efficiency" under the Fitts administration.

"Mr. Fitts has the courage and ability," De Garmo's statement read, "to add to his force able attorneys of wide experience and outstanding ability as well as to retain the many able and conscientious deputies and employees found in the public service upon his becoming District Attorney.

"Mr. Fitts has demonstrated efficiently not only his competency but also his disposition and determination to enforce the law with justice and without fear or favor.

"We feel confident that the office of the District Attorney under his able and fearless direction will continue to be a credit to the State of California, and we bespeak for Mr. Fitts the confidence and support of the people of Los Angeles county in the excellent work in which he is now engaged."

COURTESY RETURNED

Dist.-Atty. Fitts, Judge Doran, Asst. Deputy District Attorney Thos. Dist.-Atty. Hammon, who had charge of grand jury matters, Clerk Smith, official reporter to the jury, John A. Berwald, special prosecutor, and others were commended by the retiring jury. Fitts and Judge Doran returned the praise to the members with the assurance that the jury has the distinction of being among the most capable bodies empaneled in recent years.

In the general exchange of commendatory expressions, former Chief of Police Davis was extolled by De Garmo as an honest and able police executive "who has built up a very fine police organization in this city." The report said that when he came before the jury duty he was prejudiced against Davis, but the police official's conduct has removed that impression.

Condemnation of two Los Angeles county jails, a plea for a new central jail prison, recommendations for a new system for the treatment of prisoners and commendation of the ability of police officers as conscientious and hard-working were outstanding items in the annual report of the grand jury.

"Our City Jail on First street, also the Lincoln Heights Jail, we strongly condemn; they are deplorable and unfit to house human beings," reads the report at one point.

Elsewhere: "... We most earnestly recommend a new City Jail. Our present quarters are a disgrace to the city of Los Angeles."

AS TO POLICE

In making its closing report, the grand jury deplored lack of time in which to conclude some of the investigations it had started and recommended to the 1930 grand jury that it carry to completion the unfinished work. Cases recommended for further consideration and action by the incoming grand jury include the financial investigation of Aimee Semple McPherson, involving the funds of Angelus Temple; cremation of deceased patients by mistake at the County Hospital, and three other investigations.

To remedy at least remedy conditions the jury recommended provision be made for a City Jail physician to be on duty at all times; segregation of juveniles and minor-offense prisoners from hardened criminals; better food and drastic action to provide better sanitary conditions.

In discussing the personnel of the Police Department Foreman De Garmo said in part:

"The ramifications of the investigation (of the police department) carried to every branch of the department, none being spared when evidence was found leading to any individual. I am not asserting the department is entirely purged of unworthy men, but I do say the investigations prove that the department is sound only in spots, that the

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POOR PA

BY CLAUDE CALLAN

"Ma's always criticisin' Mrs. Mopple for gossipin' so much, an' I guess the reason Ma goes over there every day is to see if Mrs. Mopple has quit gossipin'."

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Books Prove That This City Grows

Getting Bigger Year by Year

Miss Ethel Kennedy comparing first Los Angeles City Directory, that of 1883, with newest edition just off press.

NEW DIRECTORY COMPLETED

Edition for 1930 Gives Los Angeles 1,483,349 Population, Gain Over Last Year of 41,724

The 1930 Los Angeles City Directory will be ready for distribution Thursday morning. It contains 2715 pages, 117 more than the 1929 directory, with more names to the page in the new directory than in the old. Los Angeles is computed to have a population of 1,483,349, on the basis of 2¼ times the number of listings, a standard unit of population computation from city directories.

This gives a population gain of 41,724 over the 1,441,625 estimate from the 1929 directory, and corresponds closely with an estimate based on water department figures, Assistant Manager G. P. Murphy said.

OLDEST DIRECTORY

The oldest directory in possession of the Los Angeles Directory Company is the one for 1883. It estimated the population as "about 25,000" and said the area included that within "one Spanish league, north, east and west and one Spanish league and 400 yards south from the center of the Plaza." The area now includes 442.25 square miles. The 1924 directory was the first one after the city passed the 1,000,000 mark. It showed 1,148,121 population.

Statistical information in the introduction to the volume shows that the city has:

Seventy-five parks embracing 5122 acres valued at $24,588,008. Thirty-two banks and 251 branches with forty trust companies, totaling $1,436,267,656 capitalization and annual clearings of $10,825,705,030. Thirty-one savings banks show deposits of $880,370,983. Postoffice receipts of $10,655,214, with $218,581 special deliveries. Telephones, 374,078. Churches, 711. Value of building permits for year, $101,846,492 with 6464 new dwellings. Thirty-five per cent of homes owned by occupants.

METROPOLITAN AREA

A twenty-five-mile trading radius includes 2,430,000 persons. Jobbing territory serves 125 miles, including 3,000,000 persons. Principal products are petroleum, motion pictures, iron, steel and machinery, wearing apparel, furniture, printing, bookmaking and fruits. Twenty-five daily newspapers and sixty weeklies. Hotels, 1200 with 60,000 rooms. Motion-picture theaters, 169. Stage theaters, twenty-two. Hospitals, 143 with 5410 beds. Public and private schools, 385 with 367,633 pupils in public schools, 10,073 teachers and school property worth $112,774,593. Libraries, forty-six with 908,885 volumes. Street mileage, 4780.

The Smiths, as usual, occupy more of the space than any other name.

MAYOR ASKS FOR EXTRA SECRETARY

Position Believed Sought for Ellis Eagan, "Fired" by City Attorney Werner

Mayor Porter yesterday asked the City Council to provide him with another secretary at $350 a month. It is believed that this position is being created for Ellis Eagan, who is being dropped as a Deputy City Attorney, effective today, by City Attorney Werner. Eagan is being released for "political activities," according to Werner. Eagan denies that he has been doing any lobbying with Councilmen.

Mayor Porter's request for the additional secretary was referred to the Council's Efficiency Personnel Committee. He asks that it be exempt from Civil Service. He also asks for an emergency appropriation of $2100 for the remainder of the fiscal year so that the appointee will not be delayed in getting his pay. Mayor Porter now has an extra secretary, W. J. Mosher.

Eagan, who handled the 1928 grand jury under the Asa Keyes regime, was appointed to the City Attorney's office last July and assigned to the Mayor's office as legal adviser.

SPECIAL PLANE SCHEDULED

A special plane will be operated out of Agua Caliente New Year's Day for the benefit of persons celebrating the demise of 1929, and who want to be in Pasadena for the Rose Bowl fete and football game, it was stated yesterday by C. W. H. Smith, general traffic manager of Western Air Express. The plane, or planes, if needed, will depart about 9 a.m. and land at the Valley Boulevard terminal not far from Pasadena.

ROSES PARADE TO SET RECORD

Forty-first One in Pasadena Far Cry from Premiere

This Year's Pageant Will be Seen by 750,000

More Than 130 Entries in Line-up for Event

By a "Times" Staff Correspondent

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—Southern California's progress in the last forty-one years may be measured by many yardsticks, but the difference between the first Tournament of Roses parade, January 1, 1889, and that which will be witnessed by 750,000 persons here Wednesday morning, probably is the most accurate, and certainly the most spectacular measurement available.

A few days before New Year's Day, 1889, the late Dr. Charles Frederick Holder, sportsman and writer, conceived the idea of holding a community celebration to usher in the new year. He was assisted by the late Dr. F. F. Rowland to bring the idea to fruition with the co-operation of other members of the Valley Hunt Club.

Ten or fifteen buggies and wagons were decorated with wild flowers and driven through the unpaved streets, while less than 1000 residents of the sparsely settled farming community shouted pleasantries as their neighbors trotted by. At the conclusion of the parade 300 spectators gathered to watch an informal athletic meet held in a pasture a block east of the present site of the Hotel Maryland. The highlight of the afternoon was a contest between the young men to determine who was most proficient in striking the center of a target with a spear while riding horseback at top speed.

FOOTBALL GAME

In 1890 a football game was played between the University of Michigan and Stanford University, but there was a lapse of seventeen years before the East versus West football classics were conceived. During that period chariot races and other sports at Tournament Park provided thrills following the floral parade.

Preparation for the 1930 New Year's Day pageant has been a gigantic undertaking which started a year ago, when a corps of six permanent employees of the tournament association began the work which will culminate Wednesday.

To decorate the 133 major entries in the 1930 pageant has required the labor of more than 5000 persons who will work all night before New Year's Day to fasten the last bloom in place and complete costumes for the 2000 persons who will ride in the procession. The floats are being decorated in a circus tent pitched on South Broadway and in various garages and storage buildings throughout Southern California.

THRONG TO SEE GAME

Some of the more pretentious floats will be covered with as many as 100,000 cut roses and other blooms—more flowers than were used in the entire parade for many years.

In lieu of the twenty or thirty farm and saddle horses which gave motive power to the first parade, the 1930 procession of automobiles and trucks will represent the power of 10,000 horses, according to estimates.

Instead of the 300 persons who watched the local heroes jab spears into a target in 1889, more than 70,000 spectators will throng the Rose Bowl to witness the University of Southern California-Pittsburgh football game, while millions will hear the play-by-play radio broadcast of the game in all parts of the world.

In the words of C. Hal Reynolds, president of the Tournament of Roses Association, "It is a far cry between the first and the forty-first Tournament of Roses, but the spirit of co-operation which has made the tournament a national instead of a local enterprise is the same that bids fair to make Southern California the most prosperous section of the world long before the next forty-one years are passed."

At 7 years of age Reynolds rode a small black pony in the parade, and since that time he has taken part in each Tournament of Roses. Wednesday he will ride in a flower-bedecked automobile as the highest official on "Pasadena's Biggest Day."

PARADE LINE-UP

The parade line-up follows:

MANAGEMENT

1—Bugler.
2—Mounted police.
3—Color guard of six.
4—U.S.C. Band.
5—Grand Marshal Mayor James Rolph, Jr. of San Francisco.
6—Aides to Grand Marshal (5.)
7—Pasadena G.A.R. Fife and Drum Corps.
8—President C. Hal Reynolds, Gov. C. C.

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TRAFFIC DEATHS SET MARK

Frightful Increase in Fatalities for Los Angeles Revealed in Police and Coroner's Records for 1929

All previous monthly totals of traffic deaths in Los Angeles city and county for 1929 were broken by an alarming increase, it was revealed by Coroner's office figures yesterday.

From the 1st inst. to 8 a.m. yesterday, ninety-two persons were injured fatally. The highest previous monthly total was registered in February last, when seventy-seven died. In December last year the total stood at seventy-one.

Of the present month's total, eighty-six persons were hurt fatally in accidents involving automobiles and six involving street cars and pedestrians. The same figures for the month of December, last year, were given as sixty-nine and two.

FEARFUL INCREASE

Accidents in the city alone for the calendar year ending at 8 a.m. yesterday increased by 2498, the total number for this year being placed by police statistics at 12,453, is compared with 9955 for the year previous.

Out of the total number of accidents this year, 420 met death, as compared with 313 in 1928, and 16,691 persons were injured, as compared with 12,489 in the year previous.

Arrests of motorists for violations of major safety measures amounted to 1488 this year, as compared with 1221 the year previous. Of these totals 925 were for driving automobiles while intoxicated in the present year, and 957 in 1928. Arrests for reckless driving totaled 563 the present year and 264 in 1928. Besides the arrests 1912 citations for reckless driving were given out by police during the present year, as compared with 481 during 1928.

TOLL OF DEATH

Indicating the startling increase in traffic fatalities since the beginning of the present holiday season are the figures recorded at the Coroner's office showing that in four days from Christmas morning to 8 a.m. yesterday, twenty-two persons were killed or died as the result of injuries received a few days previous. This, it was stated, necessitated the conducting of eleven inquests yesterday and eleven more scheduled for today, establishing another record for activities at the Coroner's office.

Examination of the statistics

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NEW ACTING HEAD OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

Roy E. Steckel

IT MAY RAIN TODAY AND IT MAY NOT

Either Way, Weather Man Will be Right Because Forecast is "Unsettled"

If it rains today or tomorrow the weather man will be right; likewise if it doesn't he still will be right.

For last night the forecast at the United States Weather Bureau here was "cloudy and unsettled today and tomorrow."

Asked exactly what the "unsettled" part meant, the meteorologist admitted that the prevailing clouds and moderate temperatures are a bit baffling, and that most anything in the line of weather may happen within forty-eight hours—hence the "unsettled" to cover any trick the skies may play, he said.

There is a possibility of rain both today and tomorrow, but "on paper" it was reported not at all certain.

Last night's weather map, embracing most of the North American continent, also was a bit out of the ordinary, it was reported at weather headquarters. The high pressure area (the usual indication of fair weather) which has prevailed over the Rocky Mountains recently has broken up, while a low pressure area (indicative of storms) has set in over the western part of Canada just above the United States line.

Yesterday's maximum temperature here reached 69 deg., while 50 deg. was the lowest.

The Pasadena Tournament of Roses last year had a clear sky, the weather man recalled. He said the thermometer on that day reached 75 deg. at its top mark and 54 deg. at its lowest.

Lieut. Doolittle and Col. Brady End Plane Visit

Lieut. Jimmy Doolittle, the first man to take off, fly and land again safely "blind" in an airplane, left Los Angeles yesterday in a Curtiss-Robbin monoplane for an unannounced destination following a short visit. With him went Col. W. J. Brady of New York, Mayor Walker's personal representative for aviation.

The pair flew here on a tour of the country, inspecting airports and airways. Col. Brady is on a particular mission for Mayor Walker.

Lieut. Doolittle, directed by a ground radio, flew last summer for fifteen minutes and landed without once glimpsing the horizon or the ground.

PATH OF STATE BUILDING CLEARED BY COURT RULE

The County Board of Supervisors on January 6 will purchase a block of ground near the corner of First and Spring street for $725,834, and later will deed the ground to the State of California as a site for the $2,500 000 State office building, construction of which will begin shortly thereafter.

This important improvement in the Civic Center was made certain yesterday by a decision of Superior Judge Yankwich, before whom last week was argued an injunction plea to prevent the sale of the First and Spring-street site.

Attorneys for the Union League Holding Company, which is interested in Hill-street real estate, opposed the purchase of the Spring-street site on the ground that the Board of Supervisors previously had purchased the so-called Humphreys site for $490 000 and that the outlay of more money for the same purpose would be a waste of public funds.

County Counsel Mattoon, however, and his chief assistant, J. H. O'Connor, argued that the resolution of intention to purchase the site specified that the Humphreys site was to be bought "for public purposes" and not for any specific use. Judge Yankwich agreed that unless the site had been turned over to the State it could not be said that it was purchased for a State office building.

In addition, Judge Yankwich stated in his opinion that a court injunction should not be used to modify the discretionary powers of a legislative body such as the Board of Supervisors unless there was evidence of a palpable fraud.

A similar injunction against the purchase of the Humphreys site was sought by persons interested in a site at First and Olive streets but was refused by Superior Judge Gates on similar grounds.

Judge Yankwich sustained a demurrer to the injunction suit without leave to amend, which will prevent further action on the suit.

"A proper interpretation of the

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STECKEL SUPPLANTS DAVIS; MADE ACTING POLICE CHIEF

Latter Accepts Deputy Post After Dropping of Inefficiency Charge; All His Rights Reserved

Roy E. Steckel, deputy Chief of Police since October 2, last, and eighteen years on the force, yesterday was made acting Chief of Police of Los Angeles by the Police Commission, after James E. Davis had consented to demotion from the rank of Chief of the department to the position of deputy Chief, to fill the vacancy created by the elevation of Steckel.

The promotion of Steckel and demotion of Davis followed conferences between City Attorney Werner, Mayor Porter, the Police Commission, the Civil Service Commission and Davis, who was attended by R. Lee Heath, his attorney, and former Chief of Police.

Steckel, the new acting Chief, is to be provided with headquarters in rooms 102 and 103 in the Mayor's suite in the City Hall, which have been fitted up for the purpose.

CHARGES TO BE DROPPED

President Thorpe of the Police Commission stated that as a result of Davis consenting to demotion the charge of "inefficiency" and "neglect of duty" which Thorpe and Commissioner Drake sought to file before the commission against him will be dropped.

Filing of the charges had been held up because of a divided vote on the commission and the tie was to have been broken by Commissioner Wehn, the latest appointee on the board. Wehn did not vote, however, because he was a member of the grand jury.

Davis, however, who planned to fight the charges to a finish, should they be filed, finally consented to the demotion only after he had been assured that it would not be lower than that of deputy Chief, and after other members of the department and his friends had urged him to do so.

He was advised that he was facing a losing fight, because, while Commissioner Wehn had made no statement as to what his probable action would be on the charges, indications were that he would vote with Thorpe and Drake against the Chief.

ONUS REMOVED

For many weeks the new administration has been seeking to remove Davis as Chief in order to make its own choice as general manager of the police department. With the general charges of "inefficiency" and "neglect of duty," based on the actions of those under the Chief, held in abeyance for final action; every effort had been made to get Davis into an agreeable attitude toward his removal.

As long as the charges apparently reflected on his character, Davis planned to fight them to the last for the sake of himself and family. When the charges finally simmered down to what members of the department had done, mainly in connection with the Harry D. McDonald bribery charges, the Chief then considered the overtures by the Mayor and the Police Commission for him to accept demotion.

As Chief he received $500 a month and as deputy chief he will receive $400 a month. In addition he will be able to serve out his twenty years of service to obtain a pension. He already has served more than seventeen years on the force. His consent to the motion was given as follows:

ACCEPTS DEMOTION
LOS ANGELES, Calif.
December 30, 1929.

Board of Police Commissioners of the City of Los Angeles:

Gentlemen: I hereby consent to the transfer from the position of general manager of the police department, Code 3510, to that of deputy chief of police, Code No. 3509, provided that the transfer can legally be made, and provided, further, that my future civil service and pension rights in the police department can be maintained.

This consent to a transfer from the position of general manager of the police department is in no wise to be considered as my resignation from the police department, or as a removal from the department. In the event that this consent, or any legal steps taken thereunder are not legal I hereby reserve my rights to have a full and complete hearing on any charges that may be preferred against me to remove me

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JURY HEAD PRAISEFUL OF DAVIS

High Tribute Paid to Former Police Chief's Honesty and Ability

The conduct of former Chief of Police Davis during the past year overcame prejudice against him in the mind of Ellwood De Garmo, foreman of the retired 1929 grand jury, and after submitting a closing report yesterday the jury leader extended a tribute to the police official's honesty and integrity. As he withdrew his former prejudiced impressions and replaced them with a fine compliment, De Garmo issued the following statement concerning Davis:

"In fairness to Chief Davis, I think the fact should be known that the appointment of a member of the incumbent grand jury as a member of the Police Commission caused a majority of the jurymen to feel that any formal expression from our body on police matters might prove embarrassing to the new police commissioner. Hence an official comment was withheld.

"The expression of opinion by individual members of the grand jury indicates that Chief Davis has the respect of the majority of the jury and this situation has been brought about, I am sure, over a condition of prejudice against the Chief that existed when we first took office.

"It is true, at least in my own case, as I was very much opposed to Chief Davis when I became a member of the grand jury. I was positive that one of our most serious undertakings would call for an investigation that would lead to the enforced retirement of the Chief.

"After a great amount of investigation lasting several months, in which many police officials have been adjudged guilty of misconduct, the fact stands out clearly that Los Angeles is singularly fortunate in having a Chief of Police who is personally honest, who is a student of his work, whose record stands out favorably with any Chief of Police in the nation, and who has built a very fine police organization in this city.

"It is due Chief Davis to have it known that he co-operated heartily with the grand jury in all respects. Personally I feel his removal would be a disadvantage to the law-abiding element of Los Angeles."

Legal Staff of Pantages Puts Off Bail Parley

Originally scheduled to have been held yesterday, a conference by four defense attorneys seeking to obtain the release of Alexander Pantages on bail from the County Jail, pending appeal of his conviction of attacking Eunice Pringle, was postponed until this morning.

Pantages lost his first fight to obtain bail last week when Superior Judge Fricke decided his health is good enough to stand the rigors of jail. The attorneys now contemplate carrying the fight for bail to the higher courts.

At the County Jail Hospital, attendants yesterday reported that Pantages has not suffered any further heart attacks. The defense attorneys are Le Compte Davis, Jerry Geisler, Earl Daniels and W. I. Gilbert.

WARNING GIVEN REVELERS

Absolute Ban Put on Rough-housing and Use of Liquor in New Year's Eve Funmaking

Ring in the New Year with plenty of noise and harmless fun, but don't throw confetti, wave feathe ticklers, or engage in rowdyism, is the ultimatum of the police department to New Year's Eve celebrants.

"We are going to let the people have all the fun they want," declared Chief Davis, "make all the noise they please, but we are absolutely not going to tolerate any rough-housing. All watches in the downtown districts have been doubled and will work overtime. The members will work in pairs and each has been given rigid instructions to break up the formation of all gangs of hoodlums intent on marring property, pulling trolley wires and such dangerous so-called practical jokes. And arrests will be made of all persons found placing their hands on women."

TRAFFIC RULES

That the police department is confident the public will meet the regulations half way is evident by the traffic rules to be in force during New Year's Eve.

Broadway and Hill streets, between Third and Ninth streets, will be closed to all vehicular traffic except street cars, between 5:45 p.m. today until 3 a.m. tomorrow.

Vehicular traffic may move north and south on Spring street and east from it; and north and south on Olive street and west from it.

Sixth street will be open to taxicabs traveling to and from the railway stations. Traffic details are in charge of Police Lieutenant J. B. Peyton, who announced the above regulations, and all patrol work will be handled by Captains of Police Ammon of Central Police Station and Hubbs of Georgia-street division.

LID ON LIQUOR

As to liquor, the "lid will be put down and kept down all night," according to acting Captain of Police Weyerman, commander of the vice division. The division with a personnel of eighty-nine detectives will be kept on duty until daylight, Weyerman stated, and all persons found in possession of liquor will be arrested.

"New Year's Eve," declared Weyerman, "is no different from any other night in the year. Possession of liquor is a violation of the law and my men have received instructions that they are not to show any

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The Lancer

by Harry Carr

THERE is nothing very desperate in the announcement of the Weather Bureau that no rain is in prospect this week.

Droughts are to be expected about every ten years in California. Records show that we had terrible dry spells in 1864, in the winter of 1877-78 and periodically since then.

One of our best years was dry until late in January. If next month is wet, with good rains following, we can count on good crops.

VIVA MEXICO

If the new President of Mexico pans out as well as he promises, a long period of peace and prosperity is due south of the line.

The attitude of the United States Department of State in the last upheaval makes it look bleak and discouraging for revolution as a form of outdoor sport in Mexico.

The machinery of modern war makes informal revolts impossible. No revolution will again succeed without great financial resources and free passage for munitions across United States soil.

TAKE THAT, SHAKESPEARE

William Shakespeare as a scenario writer has had a swat from British critics.

Commenting on Mary Pickford's and Doug Fairbanks's talking film, "The Taming of the Shrew," the Manchester Guardian intimates that they did as well as possible with such a punk play.

"The film," says the critic, "is by no means dull, but it seems empty. It has no feeling, no purpose; little, in fact, but noise. But this is the impression generally created by the play."

A BIG BOY

Carnera, the Italian prize fighter, is getting to be a big boy. He stands 6 feet 10 in his bare feet; weighs 283 pounds, and has a reach of 84 inches. Young Stribling, who fought him in Rome, is no wiso himself—standing 6 feet 1 inch and weighing 194, but he was outweighed eighty-nine pounds, and Carnera towers many inches above his head.

GANGSTERS

Caught in Los Angeles, Joseph Caperico, gangster and leader of the New York prison riot, is said to be trying to get bail "from his friends in the Los Angeles underworld."

It would be a pious idea if the police would call the roll of Joseph's friends and find out what they are doing in Los Angeles.

THE RED HAND

It is plain that the hand of soviet Russia is in the demand of India for freedom from England. The boat is being rocked with vengeance.

All of us would like to believe in world peace; but it takes a sunny optimism not to see war clouds lowering over the Orient.

The pity of it is that a free India would mean another mess like China. Although for exactly opposite reasons. China doesn't believe in anything—so cannot accomplish unity. India believes in too much—and in forty different directions.

Before Uncle Sam is through in the Orient he will wish he had raffled off the Philippines.

COUNCIL HEARS OF BIDS

Bids for the improvement of streets in the Mansfield Street and First Street Improvement Districts, range from $67,464 to $80,685, the Board of Public Works yesterday informed the City Council.

AUNT HET

BY ROBERT QUILLEN

"I didn't know Jim had gone into bankruptcy until I seen his wife an' girls struttin' out in swell new clothes."

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PARADE TO SET NEW HIGH MARK

Pasadena All Ready for Its Forty-first Fete

Great Progress Revealed in History of Event

Vast Throng Will Witness Line-up Tomorrow

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Young and Lieut.-Gov. H. L. Carnahan in decorated car.
9—Directors of Tournament of Roses Association.
10—Women's Division car with Mrs. Frederick J. Mills, Mrs. Lena R. Pepperling and Mrs. C. C. Young.
11—San Diego Army and Navy Band and Cadet Corps.
12—Pasadena Tournament of Roses Band.
Automobile Club of Southern California Service Patrol Car.

FIRST DIVISION
1—Division Marshal.
2—Division aides (3.)
3—B.P.O.Elks' Band.
4—"Pitt Panther" Municipal Light and Power Department entry.
Los Angeles Board of County Supervisors.
6—Mayor John C. Porter of Los Angeles.
7—Long Beach City Council.
8—Long Beach City Council.
9—Glendale City Council.
10—Burbank Band.
11—Burbank City Council.
12—Pasadena Board of City Directors.
13—Pasadena Board of Education.
14—Redondo Beach Girl's Band.
15—Redondo Beach City Council.
16—San Marino City Council.
17—South Pasadena decorated automobile.
Automobile Club of Southern California Service Patrol Car.

SECOND DIVISION
——CLASS A—CIVIC BODIES
1——Division Marshal.
2——Division aides (3.)
3——American Legion, Massed drum and Bugle Corps of 200.
4——Pasadena Post American Legion float.
5 1—City of Glendale float.
6 2—City and County of San Francisco float.
7 3—San Jose Fiesta de Las Rosas float.
8 4—City of Fresno.
9——Long Beach Municipal Band.
10 5—City of Long Beach float.
11 6—City of Beverly Hills float.
12 7—City of Los Angeles, and Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce float.
13 8—Pasadena Chamber of Commerce.
14——Automobile Club of Southern California Service Patrol Car.

THIRD DIVISION
CLASS A-1—CIVIC BODIES
1——Division Marshal.
2——Division aides (3.)
3——Pasadena Scouts Band.
4 1—Monrovia Chamber of Commerce.
5 2—Pomona Chamber of Commerce.
6 3—Pasadena Bear Flag Band.
7——National Orange Show of San Bernardino.
8 4—Altadena Chamber of Commerce.
9 5—W. F. Kelley horse pageant. "Buffalo Bill."
10——Roberts's Golden State Band.
CLASS A-2—CIVIC BODIES
11 1—Whittier Chamber of Commerce.
12 2—City of Inglewood.
13 3—City of San Fernando.
14 4—Laguna Beach.
15 5—Arcadia Chamber of Commerce.
16 6—California Valencia Orange Show of Anaheim.
17——Dallesite, Nev. Band.
18——Dallesite, Nev. Boat.
19——Town of Temple.
20——Town of Tujunga.
21 7—Lake Arrowhead Chamber of Commerce.
22——Franklin High School Band.
CLASS B—MUNICIPAL ENTRIES
23 1—Water Department, City of Pasadena.
24 2—Park Department, City of Pasadena Automobile Club of Southern California Service Patrol Car.*

FOURTH DIVISION
CLASS C—HOTELS
1——Division Marshal.
2——Division aides (3.)
3——Santa Monica Municipal Band.
4 1—Hotel Huntington.
5 2—Maryland Hotel.
6 3—Hotel Vista del Arroyo.
7 4—Raymond Hotel.
8 5—Camp Baldy.
CLASS E—SERVICE CLUBS
23——Caltech Band.
24 1—United Service Clubs of Pasadena.
CLASS D—AUTOMOBILES
25 1—Shakespeare Club.
26 2—Long Beach Business and Professional Women's Club.
27 3—General Federation of Women's Clubs.
28——Van Nuys-Oxnesmouth High School Band. (Oxnesmouth float for girl trumpeters follows.)
29 4—Daughters of the American Revolution.
30 5—Woman's Civic League.
31 6—Pasadena Board of Labor.
32 7—Carl M. Strandwold private decorated car.
Automobile Club of Southern California Service Patrol Car.

FIFTH DIVISION
CLASS J—EDUCATIONAL UNITS
1——Division Marshal.
2——Division aides (3.)
3——Pasadena Junior College Bulldog Band.
4 1—Pasadena School Service Association.
5 2—Pasadena School Service Association.
6 3—Pasadena School Service Association.
CLASS J
7——Salvation Army Citadel Band.
8——Salvation Army.
9——Associated Adventure Clubs of the Y.M.C.A.
10 2—Pasadena Preventorium.
11 4—Pasadena Chapter National Aeronautic Association.
——CLASS E—FRATERNAL
12——Taft High School Girl's Band.
13 1—Pasadena Lodge B.P.O. Elks.
14 2—Improved Order of Red Men.
CLASS K—BOY SCOUTS
15——John Marshall Junior High School Band.
16 1—Troop 1 and 2 Boy Scouts of San Marino.
17 2—Troop 13 Boy Scouts of Pasadena.
18——St. Elizabeth School Band.
19 3—Troop 29 Boy Scouts of Pasadena.
20 4—Troop 40 Boy Scouts of Lamanda Park.
21 5—Troop 6 Boy Scouts of Alhambra.
Automobile Club of Southern California Service Patrol Car.

SIXTH DIVISION
CLASS G—BUSINESS GROUPS
1——Division Marshal.
2——Division aides (3.)
3——Union Pacific Band.
4 1—Pasadena Merchants' Association.
5 2—Pasadena Clearinghouse.
6 3—Pasadena Automobile Dealers Association.
CLASS F—BUSINESS FIRMS AND MANUFACTURERS
21——Huntington Park Union High School Band.
22 1—Richfield Oil Company of California.
23 2—Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company.
24 3—Adohr Creamery Company.
25 4—Gay's Lion Farm.
CLASS E—NOVELTIES
26 1—William H. Cronow.
27 2—Stone's Hotel for Dogs.
——Automobile Club of Southern California Service Patrol Car.

SEVENTH DIVISION
EQUESTRIAN CLASSES
Saddle and driving horses.

SANTA FE TO RUN ORANGE COUNTY SPECIAL

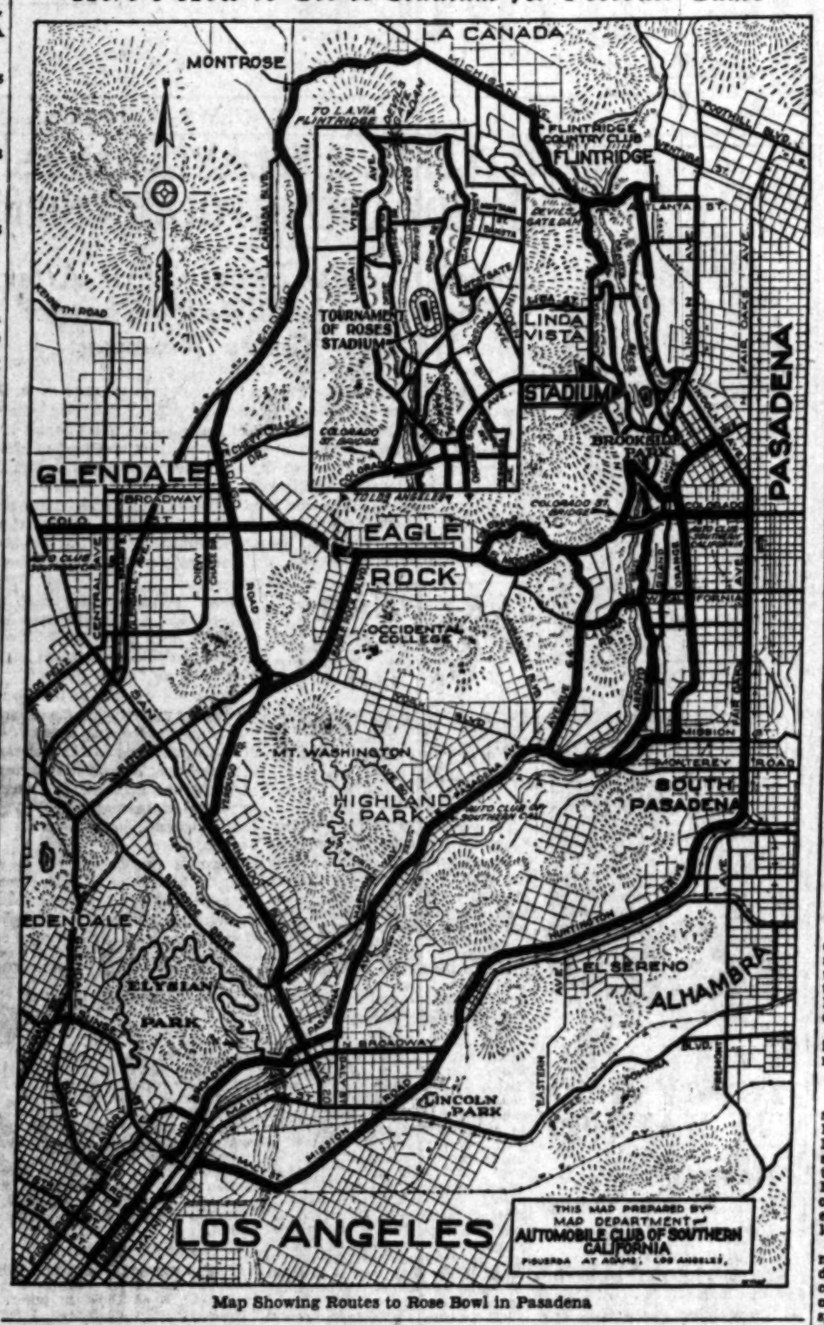
A special train to Pasadena's Tournament of Roses will be operated tomorrow by the Santa Fe Railway for the accommodation of Orange county visitors to the floral carnival, it was announced yesterday. The Tournament of Roses special will consist of nine cars, providing accommodations for 750 passengers.

It will leave Santa Ana at 8 a.m. tomorrow, making stops at Orange, Anaheim, Fullerton, Buena Park, Los Nietos and Los Angeles, and is due to arrive at Lake avenue, Pasadena, at 9:55 a.m. The special will start back at 1:15 p.m., reaching Santa Ana at 3:15 p.m. Special round-trip rates of $1.25 apply from Santa Ana and Orange, and $1 from Anaheim and Fullerton.

DEATH INQUEST SLATED

An inquest into the death of Benjamin J. Hopkins, 155 East Seventy-Sixth street, killed last Sunday night in an automobile collision near Topango Canyon, is to be conducted Thursday at Santa Monica. Hopkins's car is asserted to have collided with a trailer on a truck driven by E. C. Haynes, 1243 Ravenna street, Wilmington, while en route to Ventura.

Here's How to Get to Stadium for Football Game



Map Showing Routes to Rose Bowl in Pasadena

STECKEL NEW POLICE HEAD

Davis Accepts Compromise in Face of Losing Fight, Ending Protracted Deadlock

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from the position of Chief of Police.
Respectfully,

LETTER UNSIGNED

This consent was unsigned, with the understanding that Steckle must first resign as deputy chief and Davis be appointed in his place under all civil-service requirements.

This was carried out by Steckel and the transfer was facilitated by the Civil Service Commission meeting in special session in its quarters on the eleventh floor and the Police Commission in its own assembly room on the second floor of the City Hall.

With Deputy City Attorney Kitzmiller representing City Attorney Werner as to the legalities, and General Manager Clifford N. Amsden of the Civil Service Department representing the Civil Service Commission, the negotiations proceeded rapidly, except for the time necessary for communicating between the two commissions.

Mayor Porter sat in and watched the proceedings by the Police Commission. The procedure was as follows:

PROCEDURE RECORD

Deputy Chief Steckel resigned and his resignation was accepted by the Police Commission.

Chief Davis's consent to demotion was read and held to await his signature, with the commission's approval.

Notice of the termination of employment of Steckel was given to the Civil Service Commission.

The commission then asked the Civil Service Commission to certify eligibles for promotion to Chief.

Amsden informed the commission that there was no eligible list.

The Police Commission then approved Steckel for emergency appointment as Chief of Police.

The request of Davis for restoration to the eligible list for Chief of Police was granted.

A waiver was filed with the commission by five officers on the eligible list for deputy chief, which disposed of that list.

The next request of the Police Commission was that a deputy Chief should be certified and Amsden stated that the Civil Service Commission had decided that since Davis had passed the test for Chief of Police he could be accepted as an eligible for deputy Chief. Davis then was certified as the only eligible deputy Chief.

Acting Chief Steckel then recommended that Davis be approved by the board as deputy Chief. The Police Commission approved the selection, on motion of Pierce, seconded by Coe.

Former Chief Davis is now one of the two deputy chiefs of police. The other is Homer B. Cross, whom Davis appointed several months ago and was censured therefor by the Police Commission, which itself desired to make the selection.

Hitherto one deputy has been in charge of police personnel and the other has been in charge of traffic. Just which one Davis is to have jurisdiction over was not intimated by Steckel yesterday, but it is understood he will have direction of traffic.

Steckel, who is 44 years of age, was born in Nashville, Tenn., and at the age of a little more than 3 years, moved with his family to Atlanta, Ind., from which point the family moved to Los Angeles in 1910.

As a structural iron worker and as a structural iron workers and took the examination for patrolman, obtaining an appointment in 1911. He became a police sergeant in 1921 and a detective lieutenant about fifteen months later. Last summer he passed the test for deputy Chief and was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Deputy Chief Lyons, retired, early in October.

Pressed for a statement, Acting Chief Steckel appeared reluctant for a moment, and then said:

MEEK AND LOWLY SPIRIT

"All I have to say is that I am accepting this position with a meek and lowly spirit. I appreciate the confidence of the Mayor and Police Commission, and shall do my best to enforce the laws and bring the department up to its highest possible state of efficiency. I know that I am not to tread a path of roses. I am 'starting from scratch' and all I ask is public confidence and support."

Former Chief Davis, or deputy Chief, as he is now, had little to say of the proceedings, although he watched every move with keen interest. As the Police Commission adjourned, he stepped up to Steckel, shook hands warmly with him and said:

"I want you to know that there is nobody I would rather serve under than you and I wish you to understand that you have my best wishes for your success and that you have my complete loyalty."

Davis had served three years and ten months as Chief of Police, to which position he was appointed under civil service, after he had passed with high honors the tests for the position.

In its efforts to remove the Chief, the Police Commission sought an opinion from City Attorney Werner as to its powers and was informed that only by consent of Davis could he be demoted, and this after he had first resigned.

Under the charter the Chief could not have been removed except for cause and without being granted a full and complete hearing after charges had been filed against him.

WERNER'S OPINION

"Inasmuch as the 'demotion' concerning which you ask will have the effect of removing a general manager, it is my view that such demotion cannot be made without the giving of 'the previous written notice' and 'the opportunity to be heard by the board,' provided by charter, Werner ruled.

Mr. Werner then outlined the procedure which might be followed with the consent of Davis, and which was adopted by the Police Commission and the Civil Service Commission yesterday.

As there is no eligible list for Chief of Police, the old one having expired more than six months ago, it is understood that the commission shortly will request the civil service department for a new test.

Acting Chief Steckel, before he became deputy chief, was attached to the vice division as acting captain, during which time he was stationed at Venice, where he became identified with the Albert Marco case. As a witness in this case he became acquainted with Mayor Porter, then a member of the county grand jury.

Although Steckel did not top the list of eligibles for deputy chief, he was appointed to fill a vacancy at the request of members of the Police Commission appointed by or favorable to the Mayor and his program.

MANY OFFICERS TRANSFERRED IN POLICE SHAKE-UP

A shake-up in the police department involving the transfer to different posts of six executives, four detective lieutenants and a number of officers of lesser rank yesterday was announced by Acting Chief of Police Steckel to become effective tomorrow.

The transfers, Chief Steckel explained, are necessitated by the desire to have Inspector of Detectives D. A. Davidson at Central Station; other than that they are of no especial significance. The major transfers are as follows:

Inspector Davidson, recently appointed to command the Lincoln Heights detective bureau, will have charge of central detective bureau from 4 p.m. to midnight.

Detective Captain Hubert J. Wallis, in command of Hollywood detective bureau, will succeed Inspector Davidson at Lincoln Heights.

Acting Detective Captain J. B. Miller, commanding Newton-street detective bureau, will succeed Wallis at Hollywood.

Acting Detective Captain J. W. Trainor, in charge of the night robbery squad at Central, will succeed Miller at Newton street, and with transfer will become a full-fledged captain.

Detective Captain Alfred T. Slaten, commanding Georgia-street detective bureau, will become acting day inspector of detectives at Central Station.

Detective Captain F. T. Hawtrey, commanding the Venice detective bureau, will succeed Slaten at Georgia street.

Detective Lieutenant Lowell W. Lyons will move from Venice to Central Station.

Detective Lieutenant A. W. Lowell will move from Central to University Station.

Detective Lieutenant C. M. Knowles will move from Central to Wilshire Station.

Detective Lieutenant J. J. Bruttig will move from command of an important unit of the Crime Prevention Bureau to duty at Central Station.

The transfer order is the first of its kind affecting executive officers in more than a year.

STATE BUILDING PATH CLEARED

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function of the Board of Supervisors," said Judge Yankwich's opinion, "leads to the conclusion that the power of purchase, conferred by this statute, is a legislative power, and that in the exercise thereof the board has the same discretionary power to act or refuse to act, and having once acted, change its action, as they would in have in regard to any other legislative power.

"The responsibility to act or fail to act is with the legislative body. They are responsible to the people for their policy and it is not the province of the court to invade their province and substitute our ideas of social policy for theirs."

COUNTY INQUIRY BODY ADJOURNS

Grand Jury Completes Work Before Time Limit

Indorsement of Chief Davis Pays High Tribute

District Attorney and Staff Also Commended

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great majority of the men are conscientious and hard-working, trying to do their duty, many times under difficult situations."

A somewhat caustic reference to outside interference in police matters is also contained in another part of the report, which reads:

INTERFERENCE SCORED

"In closing we desire to state that we found at the head of all the jails visited, including honor camps and all outside jails that are outside of the City of Los Angeles, men of the highest caliber and we feel quite sure that if these men are permitted to do their full duty as they believe it should be done Los Angeles will have a much better and more efficient police department than it now has."

In addition to their other recommendations in police matters the grand jury report recommended the re-establishment of the police school under such instructors as Superior Judge Fricke, for the training of prospective officers. Honor camps, they thought, should also be established for city prisoners as well as county offenders.

COUNTY JAIL LAUDED

The report of the committee on jails, reformatories and highways termed the operation of the County Jail as highly satisfactory and commended Chief Jailer Peoples for his "very able and efficient management." Sheriff Traeger's honor camps came in for a share fo praise, also.

In the matter of highways, the committee found the roads generally in excellent condition. They urgently requested, however, that the bridge between Eagle Rock and Pasadena be widened to prevent congestion of heavy traffic.

Other committees and their findings, in substance, as listed in the report, follow:

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Public charities and charitable institutions: Recommended that the Fire Prevention Bureau and the Department of Health should make an immediate report on the conditions of buildings comprising Los Feliz Hospital and if they are found obsolete modern equipment be erected on a site in a less frequented locality.

Economy and efficiency: Recommended further efficiency in handling of county automobiles and accessories and further investigation of proposal to adopt photostatic system of recording documents in the office of the County Recorder.

Criminal Complaints Committee: Recommends to 1930 grand jury that every person making an application for a hearing be asked to present his case in a comprehensive and legible form, preferably through some conscientious attorney. In the case of indigent persons that they first take the matter up with the District Attorney. The committee commended Dist.-Atty. Pitts and Dep. Dist.-Attys. Hammon and Shelley for their help to the committee.

OFFICIALS SATISFACTORY

Finance Committee: "We are glad to be able to report that, as a result of the examination conducted, no defalcations of a serious character were discovered, and the handling of county funds and safeguards maintained thereon by the County Auditor were found, on the whole, to be decidedly satisfactory."

Urged that the County Auditor, in conjunction with the County Assessor and Tax Collector, evolve a plan by which some department of the county would act as agent for the bondholders of special assessments, thereby eliminating exorbitant penalties and legal costs of clearing titles clouded by failure to make tax payments when due.

Recommended installation for more comprehensive system of checking moneys collected by justices of the peace and constables in outlying communities. Prenumbered receipts in quadruplicate was the first innovation suggested.

The committee urged that the governing bodies of various school districts consider the practicability of advertising for bids on school supplies over a wider territory, investigation showing a uniformity of bids by firms now in competition.

The finance committee reported unfavorably on a plan to create a revolving fund of $1,000,000 under the control of the County Auditor. The plan had been advanced as a method of handling payments to contractors and eliminating for the latter the necessity of discounting their contracts in order to obtain ready money.

MORE FOR CHARITIES

It was recommended that the revolving fund of the Superintendent of Charities be increased from $1000 to $1750.

A new system for the connections of bills due county water districts was urged and the employment of more probation officers suggested if it were found necessary in the proper collection of moneys payable pursuant to court orders. The employment of four more traveling auditors was deemed necessary to handle the volume of county business successfully.

The finance committee, as did the 1928 grand jury committee, reported favorably upon the county unit plan for the consolidation of school districts. The plan would result in a large financial saving and the development of superior educational facilities in the more remote districts, the committeemen believe.

SHORT WILL GIVES ESTATE TO CHILDREN

Mrs. Ellen J. Stevens, 68 years of age, who died May 12, last, left her $4000 estate to her eight children in one of the shortest wills on file in the local probate court. The will follows:

"November 12, 1927, I hereby leave all my farm property and other money to my eight children, share and share alike. Ellen J. Stevens."

The children are Thomas, William, Robert, John and Herman Steven, Mrs. Margaret Williams, Mrs. William Byers and Mrs. Cecil Parsons.

EDUCATORS AND YOUNG TO MEET

State Educational Problem Commission to Organize

School Leaders Will See Governor Friday

Work Delayed by Failure of Fund from East

The California Commission for the Study of Educational Problems, recently appointed by Gov. Young, at the head of which he placed Mrs. Susan B. Dorsey, Los Angeles educator, will meet with the Governor here next Friday morning. The meeting, to organize, will be in the Governor's offices, Associated Realty Building, at 10:30 a.m., it was announced yesterday.

The commission is made up of Mrs. Dorsey, chairman; Arthur J. Brown, San Bernardino; Marshall DeMotte, Corning; Samuel Leask, Santa Cruz; James W. Mullen, San Francisco; Mrs. Maynard Force Thayer, Pasadena; Mrs. Frederick C. Turner, Berkeley; Julius Wangenheim, San Diego, and Mrs. J. C. Whitman, San Mateo, all leading educators.

Created by the 1929 Legislature, the Commission for the Study of California's Educational Problems was not named by Gov. Young until last week because the State had received a tentative offer from one of the large eastern educational institutions to provide a sum equal to the $50,000 appropriated by the Legislature to carry on the work. Owing to a change of management in the eastern institution, however, the proposed co-operation failed to materialize.

The commission's personnel was settled upon by the Governor several months ago but he postponed announcement of the appointments until such time as it was definitely assured that the looked-for appropriation from the East would not materialize, the Governor said in a recent statement.

REVELERS GIVEN POLICE WARNING

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leniency to anyone just because it happens to be New Year's Eve. And this means in cafes and other public places of business as well as on the streets."

Activities of the vice division during the holiday season beginning with Christmas Eve and ending at midnight Sunday resulted, according to police statistics, in the arrests of twenty-nine motorists for driving automobiles while intoxicated, 370 men and thirteen women for drunkenness and 117 men and thirteen women for possession of liquor in violation of the Wright Act.

EXTRA SERVICE ON STREET CAR LINES

The Los Angeles Railway on all its lines will maintain a fifteen-minute service from 12 midnight, New Year's Eve, to 2 a.m. for the benefit of those who watch the old year out and the new year in. After 2 a.m. a thirty-minute service will be maintained.

OFFICERS TO UNITE IN PROHIBITION DRIVE

Federal prohibition enforcement officers and county and city officers will be much in evidence tonight, it was stated yesterday by Dry Administrator Woods. He said that the three enforcement agencies will cooperate as the result of a conference yesterday. The dry agents and city and county officers will keep watchful eyes on hotels, cafes, beach resorts and other public places.

It was stated that it is not the intention to raid private homes unless there is evidence of liquor selling. Private citizens under ordinary circumstances will not be molested. Liquor found on tables in cafes will lead to arrests. Automobiles will not be stopped unless there is actual evidence of a liquor violation.

All Federal agents available will be on the job and will work with the other dry enforcement officers. About fifty Federal agents will be at work in and around Los Angeles.

A Coroner's inquest is scheduled for today at 10:30 a.m. at the undertaking parlors of Christensen & Morley, Covina, into the death of Bobbie Smithson, 10 months of age. The child was injured fatally last Sunday when struck by an eastbound Santa Fe train at the Gladstone-avenue crossing in San Dimas, according to a Sheriff's office report.

TRAFFIC DEATHS SET NEW MARKS

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gathered throughout the year by both police and Coroner's office investigators showed, according to Deputy Chief Gifford, head of the police traffic department, that the chief causes for the accidents and fatalities were found to be, first, excessive speed; second, reckless driving, involving disobedience to signals, boulevard stops and other safety measures, and third, driving while intoxicated.

The last deaths recorded by the Coroner are those of H. P. Poole, of 2907 Glen View avenue, who died at the Georgia-street Receiving Hospital yesterday morning, several hours after he is said to have been struck by a car driven by Charles Thornback of 4500 Avocado street, and Willard Edwards of 742 East Seventy-ninth street, who died at the General Hospital as the result of injuries received the 25th inst., when struck by an automobile at Eighty-second and Avalon Boulevard, according to police records. Inquests into these deaths will be conducted today at the County Morgue.

AUTOIST HELD FOR QUIZ

Accused by deputy sheriffs with having driven an automobile through an orange grove near Covina last Sunday, uprooting several trees and smashing heater pots, Harvey Schuyler, 37 years of age, was booked in the County Jail on a charge of suspicion of drunken driving. A revolver, two guns and a number of shells were reported found in Schuyler's car. His address was given as 11485 San Fernando Road.

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BANK HOLD-UP TRIAL ORDERED

...ster and McKinnon Held to Superior Court

...ber Fight Described at Suspects' Hearing

...y Dismisses Accusation Aimed at Leonard

Their attempt to hold up the Bank of America branch at One Hundred and Third street and Broadway frustrated by revolver fire from ... Smith, branch manager, Harry ... Hooker and Richard J. McKinnon, was followed by citizens to a ... house at 815 West One Hundred and Third street, where they ... were arrested by police, were ... testified yesterday in Municipal Judge Stutsman's court.

The two men were held under ... bail each to await trial by ... Superior Court on charges of attempted murder and attempted robbery. Similar charges against ... Leonard were dismissed by ... court when testimony failed to ... connect him with the attempted ... crime.

The asserted robbers entered the ... bank, ordering Smith, F. S. Crawford, assistant manager, and several depositors to "Stick 'em up," ... actions called by Dep. Dist.-Atty. ... later established. Instead of ... complying, Smith opened fire. He ... was struck in the arm by a bullet, ... during which the bank patrons ... chased the bandits, chasing them ... into the street and following them ... into the house, where they later were ... arrested, Broker maintained.

DEATH CASE QUIZ BRINGS RUM THEORY

Officers Believe Gardena Man Expired on Redondo Beach Due to Drinking

Efforts were made yesterday by ... county medical authorities to determine the cause of death of E. L. ..., dairy employee of Gardena, ... body was found dead on the ... beach at Redondo Saturday ...

According to statements asserted ... county sheriffs to have been ... made by Robert H. Bender and ... Jensen, friends of Burrows, ... the three men had been drinking. ... Jensen is asserted to have left the ... party, being arrested on a liquor ... charge when he is asserted to have ... been found by a Redondo police officer attempting to start Burrows's ... car nearby.

Jensen, according to the report, was found by Bender when he returned after a search for Jensen. ... belief was expressed that Burrows died as the result of acute ... intoxication while sleeping on a ... beach.

...ls Escape as Police Nab Two Theft Suspects

Two revolvers drawn two policemen yesterday halted four men at the rear door of Jackson's Cafe, ... South Broadway, and arrested ..., but the others escaped. Police ... Wingfield and Patton of the ...enty-seventh-street division had ... seen the four acting in a suspicious ... manner at Broadway and Fifty-... street.

The officers followed them and ... saw that the men broke the pad... on the rear door of the cafe. ... Wingfield and Patton pointed their ... revolver at the quartet and ordered ... them to surrender. The two who ... were caught were booked on charges ... of suspicion of burglary. They gave ... their names as Robert Ingersoll, 26 ... years of age, of 136 West Fifty-... second street, and Charles Herring, ... no address.

...ctor Husband Called Failure in Role at Home

Owen H. Taylor, an actor, made ... splendid husband back of the ... lights, but after the curtain had ... come down and he was at ... home, the role, somehow, failed to ... fit him, his wife, Mrs. Pearl D. Taylor, testified yesterday before Superior Judge Archbald when asking ... for a divorce. She was given a decree and the custody of the couple's daughter, Olive Taylor, 5 years ... of age.

Mrs. Charlotte Holland, former ... friend of Mrs. Taylor, ... corroborated her testimony. The ... defendant was represented by Attorney ... William A. Krug.

WIFE OF DEPORTED MAN GETS DIVORCE

Mrs. Katherine Robbie already ... has lost her husband, Archibald C. ..., when she appeared in Superior Judge Archbald's court yesterday, he having been deported to ... Canada as an undesirable alien. By virtue of the court's decree she now ... has permission to marry again. Mrs. ... Robbie said she was married while ... her husband was a prisoner in the ... county jail, and that he told her ... he was accused only of a misdemeanor, whereas she found later it ... was a felony. Robbie was a bootlegger, his wife said, and made his ... money selling liquor. She last heard ... from him in Southampton, Eng., ... she said.

BANK MAN PLEADS GUILTY

Lyle Cruikshank, formerly manager of the Whittier-Lorena-street branch of the Bank of Italy, changed ... his plea to guilty of embezzlement ... of bank funds when he appeared yesterday before United States District Judge James. The ... case was continued until February ... 3 for sentence.

PENITENTIARY OPEN FOR MOTHER OF TEN

Mrs. Lucy Smart

MRS. SMART MUST SERVE PRISON TERM

Judge Aggeler Says Law Specific on Sentencing Mother of Ten Children

Following two weeks' deliberation on a way out of sentencing Mrs. Lucy Smart, 38-year-old mother of ten children, to prison, Superior Judge Aggeler yesterday was forced under the law to commit the woman to seven years to life in the penitentiary.

Mrs. Smart pleaded guilty to the petty theft of a cheap dress and applied for probation. This the magistrate denied, however, because of a prior conviction on a burglary charge.

"We disliked very much to have to place this woman in prison," Judge Aggeler said out of court. "Our laws, however, left us no other recourse after she was declared sane."

Two of Mrs. Smart's children are dead, but she has seven children living here and another in Salt Lake City. Six of the children are married.

Mrs. Smart was divorced from her husband here seven years ago. She has married again.

Her reason for stealing the dress, according to Mrs. Smart's statement, was to be able to compare favorably in appearance with her neighbors and to dress up when her children visited her.

Lairport New Rail Station at City's Airfield

Lairport is announced as the newest railroad stop in the Los Angeles area. The name, a contraction of Los Angeles airport, will supplant Wiseburn on the Santa Fe Railway's harbor line west of Inglewood. The change, agreed upon by city officials and the railroad, will be made January 15, and is hailed as another evidence that the city is becoming increasingly airminded.

Wiseburn has been in existence as a side track since 1888. At that time it was a shipping point for hay and grain, and later vegetables.

Lairport identifies itself with the new airport and the region's industries, such as the Curtiss-Wright Flying Service, the Nicholas Beazely Company, the Pacific Aeromotive Corporation, the California Aerial Transport Company, the Pickwick Corporation and the Moreland Air Craft Company.

BABY SHOW WILL AID PARENTS' EDUCATION

Education of parents to proper posture, exercise, nutrition and hygienic living for their children was given yesterday as one of the main purposes of the fifth annual baby show and contest, January 11 and 12, next, in the Los Angeles College of Chiropractic. Dr. Charles H. Wood, president, also plans to conduct a free clinic in connection at which cross eyes, imperfect voices and bad vision of children will be especially treated.

METHODIST PREACHER SUCCUMBS

Dr. B. S. Haywood Victim of Apoplexy While He Seems in Best of Health

Dr. B. S. Haywood, for many years associated with the Methodist ministry of Southe... California, died unexpectedly early yesterday morning at the Hollywood Hospital, following only a few hours of illness.

Apparently in the best of health Dr. Haywood went to church Sunday morning and returned to his home at 313 Heliotrope Drive. Immediately after a hearty dinner he was seized with a stroke of apoplexy and became unconscious immediately. He was taken at once to the hospital, where he died in about twelve hours. Dr. Haywood was 60 years of age.

Funeral services will be conducted the latter part of the week.

Dr. Haywood came to Southern California about fifteen years ago from Mexico City, where he had been connected with the Methodist mission. Before that time he had been superintendent of the Methodist Hospital in Washington, D. C. and for several years prior to that he had been in charge of all Methodist missions in Porto Rico.

Dr. Haywood for several years was pastor of the First Methodist Church of Riverside and of the Wilshire Methodist Church. He had just taken a year's leave of absence from the Anaheim Methodist Church in order to take Mrs. Haywood abroad for her health.

Besides his widow he leaves a daughter and a brother, both of whom have been summoned from their homes in the East.

NEWS FILM SHOWS FIRE AT CAPITAL

President Seen Watching Blaze in Reel Now Being Exhibited in Southland

Scenes of the White House fire are shown in the latest issue of the Times-Universal Newsreel, exhibited at a group of Southern California theaters. President Hoover is shown watching the firemen battle the flames which ravaged the executive offices wing, while Mrs. Hoover calmly acted as hostess at a holiday party.

President Hoover also is shown greeting Mexico's new President-elect, Ortiz Rubio, who visited Washington. The Times-Universal Newsreel has interesting views of Helen Wills, tennis champion, starting on her honeymoon with her husband, Frederick S. Moody, Jr.

Interesting subjects from all parts of the globe include the saving of thousands of pheasants the food supply of which was covered by snow, and a noisy argument between sea elephants and penguins over the use of a swimming pool. The felling of gigantic trees, some 1000 years old, the annual bath of the plane carrier Saratoga, and Chicagoans skating atop a thirty-five-story building, are a few of the variegated subjects in this issue of the Times-Universal Newsreel. All are described in chatty style by the Talking Reporter.

Girl Explains Auto Charges

"The automobile was given to me and I simply took it," yesterday said Maudella Sprinkler, 19 years of age, in the County Jail, as her explanation of a charge of grand theft of an automobile.

"A friend of mine told me I could have the car and on the 8th inst., I took it and made a trip to Bakersfield," she said. Miss Sprinkler signified her willingness to have the machine returned to the asserted friend.

In company with John Monroe, 22, the girl was arrested last Sunday at Avenue 28 and Sichel streets, where she had been living.

COURT GRANTS NEW DELAY ON SENTENCE

Time of sentence of Guy O. Squire, formerly assistant postmaster at Alhambra, who pleaded guilty to embezzlement to about $3000 of postoffice funds, was continued again yesterday by United States District Judge James until February 10, next. It was stated that Squire is endeavoring to make restitution and hopes to have done so before the new date for his sentence. He was an employee of the postoffice for twenty-five years.

WOMEN PASTORS FAVORED

Presbyterian Official Backs New Proposal as Churches Take Straw Vote on Issue

The right of Presbyterian women to be ordained as ministers and to serve as evangelists and elders of that denomination, questions on which several churches of the Southland took a straw vote last Sunday, was indorsed heartily yesterday by Dr. Guy Wadsworth, executive secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Church Extension.

"The question of sex should not enter any movement for the advancement of the church or of human welfare," said Dr. Wadsworth. "There was a time when I was strongly opposed to women taking active part in politics, in official church work or in the business world, but my attitude has been changed by the manner in which women have made good in every phase of social and political activity in which they have taken part."

Dr. Wadsworth explained that it is not the individual churches, but the Presbyteries of the country which will decide whether there are to be radical changes in the government of the Presbyterian Church. Between now and next April the 300 Presbyteries of the United States will vote on the questions concerning women's rights in the church and the result of the ballots will be sent to Dr. Lewis S. Mudge, stated clerk of the Presbyterian General Assembly, whose headquarters are at Philadelphia, Pa. If two-thirds of the presbyteries vote in favor of the ordination of women as ministers, the record of their votes and the change in church government will be announced officially at the general assembly at Cincinnati next May.

Dr. Graham C. Hunter, chairman of the committee on bills and overtures, submitted to the churches by the last general assembly, said several churches of Southern California voted Sunday on the question, the vote being almost equally divided. St. Paul's, Miramonte, Highland Park and Tustin Presbyterian churches voted against the proposed measure, while other churches, including Immanuel, the largest, numerically, in the Los Angeles Presbytery, voted in favor of women as pastors and elders. Others voting affirmatively included Hope, Beverly Hills, Westminster, Palmdale, Azusa, Fullerton and La Jolla churches.

Jeweler's Wife Given Reduced Alimony Award

Mrs. Rhonie Gubin, seeking temporary alimony of $1500 for the next five weeks pending the trial of her divorce action against Frank Gubin, Los Angeles jeweler, was granted $300 by Superior Judge Yankwich late yesterday. The award was made following a hearing on an order to show cause directed against the husband.

Gubin testified that he has no fixed income; that the only money he receives is given him by his brother, Oscar Gubin.

The wife was represented by Attorneys Charles Montgomery, Ben Cohen and Sam Wolfe, and Gubin by Attorneys Paul Schenck and Marcus Roberts.

HARBOR FOOTPADS BEAT AND ROB MAN

Three footpads beat and robbed Jesse Soto of 320 Lykmas street, Wilmington, at dawn yesterday in front of 341 East Eleventh street, he reported to police. Soto said two white men and a negro set upon him with a blackjack, beating him into insensibility. When he recovered, the three were gone, having taken $35 in cash, a $25 ring, Soto's shoes and his tie.

Vernon's Start to Jail Delayed Another Month

Tom Vernon, who recently confessed to wrecking the Southern Pacific West Coast Limited near Saugus on November 10, last, yesterday appeared before Superior Judge Aggeler and obtained a thirty-day stay of execution of his sentence to Folsom prison.

The stay was approved by representatives of the District Attorney's office with the understanding that Vernon is co-operating with officers in attempts to solve numerous other train wrecks and robberies in the West during the last decade.

Deputy Sheriffs Jones and Higgins, who are investigating, are inclined, they said, to discount the worth of some of Vernon's new statements.

DRAMA CLASS TO OPEN

Beginning Tuesday, January 7, next, there will be a class in dialogue, plot structure, one-act play writing and scenario technique, at the Junior College, 855 North Vermont avenue, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Room 104 of the Library Building. Students may enter at any hour and leave when necessary. The work will be arranged for beginners with no entrance examinations. In the same room, and at the same hours on Mondays and Wednesdays, there are classes in story writing.

MAYOR PICKS S.C. TO WIN

Seattle's Chief Executive and Leading Football Fan Here for Rose Bowl Game

University of Southern California is a cinch to beat Pittsburgh at the New Year's game at Pasadena.

This on the authority of Frank Baker, Mayor of Seattle and the Northwest's greatest football fan.

Mayor Baker, lead-horse against twelve candidates in the Seattle Mayoralty race two years ago, arrived here yesterday to attend the U.S.C.-Pittsburgh game in the Rose Bowl, and occupies a suite at the Biltmore.

STRONG FOR WEST

"Eastern visitors here in the hotel tell me that the Pittsburgh team is going to beat U.S.C. hands down. I hope they have brought along plenty of money to back up that belief," said the Seattle Mayor. "I am for Pacific Coast football supremacy and I would be a poor specimen if I did not believe in the superiority of your Los Angeles team."

Seattle is not too proud, he said, to adopt good ideas wherever they are found. On a recent trip through the East the Mayor visited a number of cities and garnered a score of tricks of municipal government.

USES OUR SYSTEM

"We are using a traffic-control system similar to that in Los Angeles, and it is a success. From St. Paul we got the idea of school-boy traffic control at the schools. It is working out beautifully and the toll of automobile accidents to school children has been reduced 50 per cent," he said.

Under the school traffic plan boys of school age, selected for their brightness and general ability, are appointed special policemen and are are under the training of the regular police department. They are assigned to traffic posts in front of and near schools, and have the same police authority as a regular officer, Mayor Edwards explained.

"There has been no abuse of authority and the businesslike way in which these youngsters have carried on and the respect that Seattle motorists have shown for their judgment speaks volumes of what can be done with young people," the Mayor said.

Mayor Edwards will remain in Los Angeles for several days, he said.

CANADIANS WILL DANCE

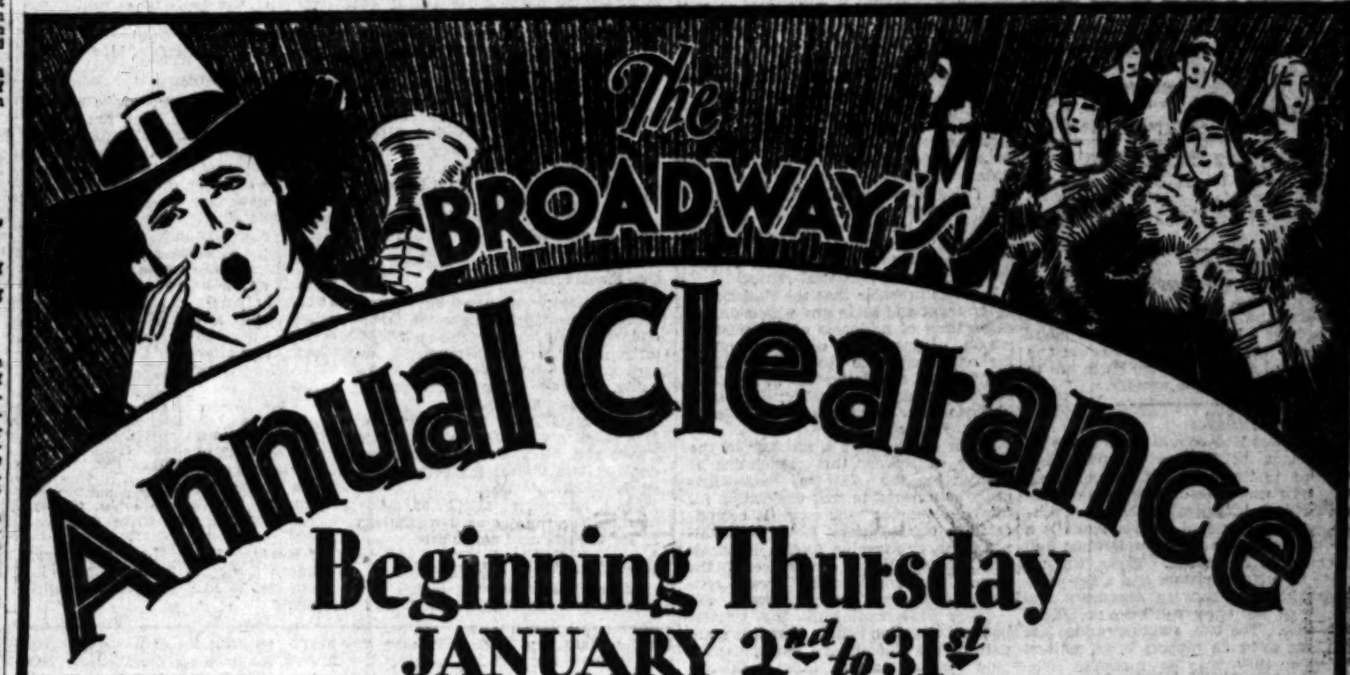
Canadians, other British and American friends will gather New Year's night at the Hollywood roof ballroom, 1549 Vine street, where they will hold a reception, reunion and social dance. Larry Walden's Orchestra will play.

MAN HELD IN DOUBLE SHOOTING

Angus Wasson Booked at Prison Ward of Hospital; Woman in Critical State

While the woman he shot hovered between life and death yesterday, Angus Wasson, 40 years of age, of 6734 Eleventh avenue, was sent to the prison ward of General Hospital, booked on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder. Mrs. Margaret Imelli, 36, of 139 West Twentieth street, who was shot in the abdomen while in her home Sunday evening, was reported last night in a critical condition in Georgia-street Receiving Hospital.

Wasson shot himself in the mouth after shooting Mrs. Imelli, as she fled up the stairs of her home after she had opened the house door to him. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital, and yesterday was removed to the prison ward. Al Imelli, husband of the woman, told police that they had known Wasson for five years, and that he is the father of two children. Imelli said that he had forbidden Wasson to come to the house after the man tried to force unwelcome attentions on Mrs. Imelli.



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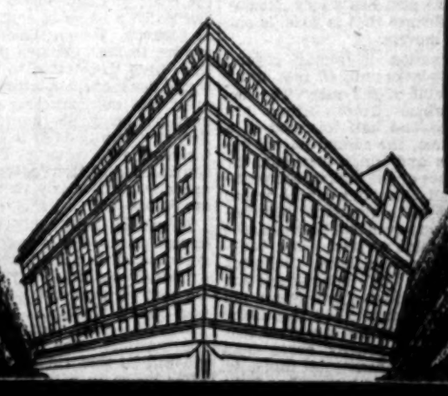

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Bad laws, if they exist, should be repealed as soon as possible; still, while they continue in force, for the sake of example, they should be religiously observed.
—Abraham Lincoln.

Today's Bible Text

And, behold, I come quickly; and my reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be. Rev. xxii:12.

SAVE YOUR CARS

Motorists are dumping so many old cars in various corners and crannies of New England that Massachusetts is going to have a law calling for a $50 fine if anybody abandons his buzzer on the property of a stranger. No Fords are to be shunted out on the wayside.

FRIENDS, INDEED

Herbert Hoover and Ortiz Rubio as the heads of joining republics were friendly to the point of chumminess. The new executive of Mexico was welcomed as a long lost brother at Washington and President Hoover made it a point to extend every consideration and courtesy in his power. There will always be a little friction and a few misunderstandings between Americans and Mexicans, but these will have no official standing. The two administrations are believed to be en rapport in all matters in which they may be mutually concerned. Not much chance for serious division.

HELD FOR RANSOM

Gangs of racketeers and hi-jackers in Chicago have a new graft. Instead of taking rival leaders for a cemetery ride they merely kidnap them and hold them for $50,000 ransom. This gets them out of the way for a while and helps pay for the overhead. There doesn't seem to be much danger as the victim doesn't squeal or peep at any stage of the game, nor are there any arrests after it is all over. Even at this moment there may be half a dozen erring souls hidden away in various parts of the town until the ransom money is assembled. The police are not even made aware of much of this activity.

THE RABBIT FEVER

Now the doctor says we should wear rubber gloves while hunting rabbits. Also it might be better if we wore shin-guards to ward off some of the perils of an attack by the venomous beasties. Anyhow, the board of health warns us against rabbit fever which may be readily acquired through harsh contact with the wild cottontail of the desert. It is an unpleasant ailment at best and while it is seldom fatal it leads to ulcerous outbreaks that make for unhappiness. If you must have a rabbit go down to the meat market and make it a business transaction. If a rabbit looks at you in a hungry or defiant manner head for the nearest drug store.

COPING WITH CRIME

Putting the colleges on the trail of the country's criminals may have its effect in keeping the peace. Some time ago Chicago University established a chair of criminology—or something of that sort. Our old friend, August Vollmer, was made professor and placed in charge of this department and the students are given opportunity to pick up the tools of science and measure the criminal tendencies of man from all angles.

On top of this Northwestern University is expending $300,000 in the creation of a crime-detection laboratory that should send another shudder through the underworld. Experts here will be in position to co-operate at any time with the police departments of the cities in making scientific survey of criminal evidence. Maj. Calvin Goddard, an expert in ballistics, is already in charge. The major can pick a sliver of lead out of man's noodle and not only tell exactly what kind of a gun it came from, but where it is. He can out his thumb on the lethal weapon. With him are chemists who specialize in blood spots and in inks used by forgers. There are also fingerprint experts, photographers and record keepers. The whole will constitute a superbly equipped scientific machine for tracing the methods and motives of any criminal mind.

Students will be suffered to journey in all the aisles of crime analysis and crime detection and qualify themselves for the pursuit of those who defy the law. The experts will help solve the mysteries of any crime in which they are called for consultation. It looks like a bad season for crooks.

EXTRATERRITORIALITY

The Nationalist government of China has by mandate declared the extraterritoriality clause in treaties with seventeen nations inoperative after tomorrow, January 1. In so doing it virtually has made scraps of paper of these treaty provisions.

Treaties are made by mutual agreement for a specified term of years. Neither party to the agreement can legally cancel it without the assent of the other contracting party. Only last summer the Nationalist government asked Japan and the leading western powers to negotiate new treaties in which the right of extraterritoriality would be abolished. Secretary Stimson replied to this Nationalist note on August 10, declining in the name of our government to consider such a step at this time. He explained at length that our government could not relinquish extraterritorial rights until the Chinese had established and made effective a code of laws shaped according to the modern concepts of jurisprudence.

Notes of a similar tenor were sent to the Nationalist government by all the other countries whose nationals are protected in China by extraterritorial treaty rights. Now the Kuomintang government has bade defiance to them all by making a New Year's bonfire of seventeen treaties in a single pyre.

Secretary Stimson has promptly replied from Washington that our government will not recognize the right of the Chinese government to seize and incarcerate American nationals in Chinese jails, and to try them in Chinese courts for charged infractions of Chinese laws. Our government has established local consular courts and a Federal court in which American defendants can be tried. Other countries have established similar courts. It is natural that the Chinese should seek to have these courts abolished; but they persist in proceeding the wrong way. Japan was confronted by a similar condition. The first treaties made with the western powers conceded to them the right of extraterritoriality. But the Japanese proceeded to make effective a code of laws "shaped according to the modern concepts of jurisprudence." As soon as this was accomplished the western powers acceded without protest to relinquishing extraterritorial rights.

It is not probable that the Nationalist government will begin any wholesale incarceration of nationals of the western powers, of any power capable of offering real resistance to such a policy. Mandates of the Nationalist government are notoriously inoperative; but it is likely to make conditions in the interior intolerable for foreigners.

If our nation were a member of the League of Nations this repudiation of treaties by the Chinese Nationalists could be referred to that association for joint action; but the case is complicated by our isolation. If the Nationalists begin imprisoning foreign nationals in Chinese jails, a conference of the powers concerned looking toward concerted action will probably result.

Those conversant with the Chinese political situation believe that this mandate of the Kuomintang government is only a gesture to give "face" to the Nationalists. Chiang Kai-shek has repeatedly pledged himself to abolish extraterritoriality, with or without the consent of the interested nations. But most of the decrees of his government have been without effect. At the Washington Conference the Chinese pledged themselves to abolish "likin" in return for the grant to China of customs autonomy. "Likin" is a tribute collected by the different Chinese provinces for the right of passage of foreign goods through their territory. In addition to the payment of customs duties at the port of entry, an additional duty is collected for shipment of these goods into or through any province.

Likin was declared abolished by the Nationalist government on September 1, 1927, in all territory under its control. But when The Times correspondent was in China south of the wall last year, he failed to find a single instance in which likin had been abolished; yet he found a number of instances where the tax for privilege of passage has been increased. Although the Nationalists have failed to fulfill their part of the customs agreement, the western powers have so far tolerated this discrimination against their goods.

Likewise, abolishing extraterritoriality will probably prove a dead letter as far as it relates to the powers capable of defending the rights of their nationals; but it is apt seriously to retard the progress of China toward the status of a sovereign power.

FREEDOM FOR INDIA?

The demand of the executive committee of the All-India National Congress party for full freedom for India, rejecting the plan of Dominion status recently proposed by Premier MacDonold's government, is or is not important, according to how truly representative of Indian opinion the meeting at Lahore is. The London Times considers that it means nothing and that there is no national opinion in India; but the congress, which has just opened, has an attendance of 30,000, and Mahatma Gandhi, who in the past has amply demonstrated an influence that is wide, is one of the prime movers.

India as a nation is almost beyond conception. It lacks unity of race, unity of religion, habit of self-rule. The native princes whom Great Britain has half supported and half tolerated in a part of the area, the cordial hatred between Moslem and Hindu elements, the dense ignorance of the bulk of the population, are all stumbling-blocks which would seem to make a national plan impossible. India is even less homogeneous than China, which at least has a background of national tradition. Mahatma Gandhi's tactics of nonco-operation might, with a British government not disposed to be firm, succeed in making British rule a nullity, but the great task of organizing an orderly government afterward seems of insuperable difficulty.

Never in its recorded history has India had a central government that was not a despotism, and a despotism, with little doubt, is what it will get if the nationalist movement succeeds. The president of the congress now meeting calls himself a Socialist Republican, but such words can have no meaning in such a country. An attempt at organization on Russian lines, and with a Russian result, is about the best the congress has to offer. The average outsider would prefer a continuance of British rule, if he had to live under it.

A PLANT NOT FOR SALE

The declaration of President Day of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation that his company's electric properties are not for sale to the city, and his reasons, cannot successfully be replied to by the municipal ownership faddists. The plain fact is that the city power bureau, under its present management, simply cannot be trusted with an unregulated monopoly of the business of generating and distributing electricity in this city. The business is too important for that.

There is always danger of this power bureau falling into the hands of even worse managers than it has now, and always will be, so long as politics is politics—which means so long as human nature is human nature. The Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation is needed to keep the city power bureau even reasonably efficient. There is little doubt its competition has saved the taxpayers and the rate-payers millions.

If a straw vote of its customers were to be taken, which would be a fair way to decide the question, the result would be overwhelmingly in favor of this corporation continuing its service. The power bureau asserts that duplication of lines constitutes an unnecessary waste. But why does the power bureau duplicate the lines of this company? It pledged itself not to a very few short months ago when it had a bond issue pending! The power bureau also pledged itself at the same time not to attempt to force a sale of the corporation's property—and it has been forbidden to buy the lines repeatedly, in votes of the taxpayers. The "gas-grab" issue has been beaten repeatedly at the polls.

COAST GUARD DOES IT

The Coast Guard, talking the only language smugglers and pirates have ever understood, has summarily disposed of a trio of defiant liquor racketeers off the coast of Connecticut, capturing, incidentally, a cargo of contraband priced at $500,000. It is a somewhat dramatic answer to the Senate politicians who have been demanding to know what is being done about prohibition enforcement, but not expecting a reply—their questions being, like most Senate activities, rhetorical. After a few more such incidents even Senator Borah may be convinced that the Federal enforcement agencies, particularly the Coast Guard, are on the job.

In getting hard-boiled with this particular group of rum-runners, the Coast Guard acted in accordance with no new or hastily constructed rule of the sea. On that medium, the law for years has been that a vessel, at the command of authority, must heave to or take the consequences. The result of this example will be that rum-runners will hereafter heave to with no delay and that liquor smuggling in consequence will become unfashionable.

The suggestion of Will Rogers that to the Senators who say they know all about law violation be delegated the task of enforcement is an excellent one, though it has been partially tried out without any great result. Senator Brookhart's recollections of a liquor party proved too hazy for the District of Columbia grand jury to act upon, and a couple of other Senators have chosen to stand on their constitutional privilege and ignore subpoenas. However, if the Senate really took over the job it might do better.

HOUSE OF HOBOS

Buffalo has closed its hobo hotel. It was felt that it might become too popular. Anyhow, it encouraged a class of custom that was not felt to be of benefit to the city. If a town can provide employment for all its casual visitors it is a fine thing, but to merely extend them hospitality and refreshment is not so good. To provide a comfortable rallying place for nonworkers is a form of philanthropy whose ultimate value is open to question.

DEATH FOR GRAFTING

Fourteen petty officials convicted of accepting small bribes in connection with the fishing industry in Russia have been sentenced to death. There is said to be much grafting in Russia, but if the beneficiary is caught or he practices it in an unusual way the punishment is dire, indeed. Death may be decreed for a mere mild difference from accepted opinion.

UNMASKING THE BEE

Who frequently runs a speakeasy in his hive

By James J. Montague

How doth the little busy bee
Improve the shining hours?
Not always, we shall shortly see
In culling sweets from flowers
Or pausing on an opened rose
With other bees to bicker,
The rascal, as the world now knows,
Makes much illicit liquor.

Around the corner grocery store
You hear his buzzing carol
The while the rogue is looking for
An open sugar barrel.
And from the honey that it yields
He gets as blithe and frisky,
While reeling 'round the buckwheat fields,
As people do on whisky.

Moreover, if to happy homes
Where people dwell contented
Are carried his illegal combs
Whose contents are fermented,
The people who their whole lives long
Have spurned the bowl severely,
Begin to join in strident song
And otherwise act queerly.

My parents often said to me
That all young people needed
To emulate the busy bee
And do whatever he did.
I'm glad their words did not prevail
For youngsters in their knickers
Ought never be immured in jail
For selling bootlegged liquors.

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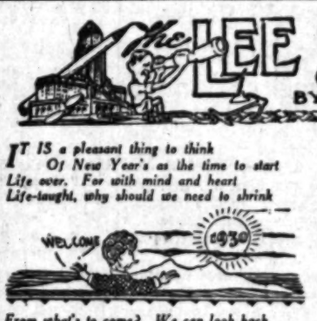


IT IS a pleasant thing to think
Of New Year's as the time to start
Life over. For with mind and heart
Life-taught, why should we need to shrink

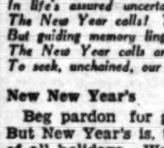
From what's to come? We can look back,
Our glorious might-have-been to see,
And find just how we lost the track—
The might-have-been which yet may be!

Losses of loves and dreams and hopes.
Are only adventitious things.
It is the loss of self that wrings
The humbled heart which backward gropes.
Failure to win or hold may pain,
But failure in nobility
Is life's one easeless tragedy—
Shall we be fools and fail again?

The might-have-been's the yet-may-be
In all achievements of the soul,
The only things we can control
In life's assured uncertainty.
The New Year calls! The past is gone,
But guiding memory lingers on;
The New Year calls and sets us free
To seek, unchained, our yet-may-be!

New New Year's

Beg pardon for getting so serious. But New Year's is, to us, the greatest of all holidays. We get such a wonderful kick out of the idea that a fellow doesn't have to be a flop in the coming year just because he was one in the last year—the idea that the slate's clean and a fellow may not only write a good record on it but even aspire to art. So we face the new year, as heretofore, with a lot of fine resolutions.



Our Smoking Resolution

For one thing, we never buy cigars. We're too Scotch and have too many children. But whenever some friend offers us one we absent-mindedly accept it before we think what we're doing. So we've taken a resolution to quit accepting such cigars.

That seems pretty drastic. But we took the same resolution last New Year's and, after the first day, we don't believe it ever made us lose a single cigar.

It's a pity there aren't as many markets for slightly used resolutions as for slightly used motor cars.

Where New Year's Is Moving Day

In residential districts, May 1 and September 1 may be the official moving days. But in downtown office buildings most leases expire January 1 and this week thousands of offices are being moved. So be careful, when you dash in to see your dentist, to look at the sign on the door. It may be a lawyer's office after tomorrow, and you may get a leg instead of a tooth pulled. Or a beauty specialist may be in the suite where you are accustomed to going to have your loan renewed, and you may get your face instead of your mortgage lifted.

It all makes business good for moving men, office-furniture men, decorators and sign painters.

Old Stuff, New Label

He used to give, sans recompense,
Advice well steeped in common sense
But no one wished, at any price,
Old-fashioned common-sense advice.

Yet now he has an office fine,
Where eager clients stand in line
And gladly pay a fancy price
For plain old common-sense advice.

For now the sign upon the door
Announces "Common Sense" no more.
Ah; no; he saw their mental twist—
His sign now reads: "Psychologist."

TENNYSON MABIE.

Doctors and Doctors

Dr. Fuller Swift, who spoke before The Times Masonic Club the other night, is a doctor of philosophy, not of medicine. "I find it necessary to make that clear," he said, "because there are so many different kinds of doctors nowadays, and otherwise I might find myself called on to baptize, give chiropractic treatments or what not. Not long ago I was in a small-town hotel, where I registered without any handle to my name. But some friends called who addressed me as 'Doctor' and after that the clerk called me 'Doctor.' All went merry as a Christmas bell till about 3 o'clock in the morning, when I was awakened from sound sleep by terrific pounding on my door. I opened, and there was the clerk.

"'Hurry, Doc,' he exclaimed. 'There's a woman having a baby in room No. 13 and we need you right away.'"

LETTERS TO The Times

[Name and address of writer must accompany all letters for this column. Letters of a personal nature or involving contentious religious questions are not acceptable.]

Radio Radiates Cheer

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I want to express my appreciation of the radio broadcasting stations of Los Angeles and of the United States as well.

The radio brings no evil influence into the home, but radiates good cheer, floods the home with music which is worth while, brings to us the news of the day, lectures, plays, readings and sermons. If anything is being broadcast which is not of the best, one can shut it off. But the radio is one source of entertainment of which no one can truthfully say that its influence is evil.

The beautiful Christmas music which the radio gave to the public was wonderfully fine and its influence for good will be lasting.

I do not believe the mass of the people would countenance anything else, for I believe the average citizen is intelligent and clear-minded. A CITIZEN.

Dog Psychology

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] One ahead of the Huntington Beach correspondent, I have already made a Christmas scrapbook of the "Life of Riley" and have presented it to my grandson of sixteen months, who is a lover of dogs.

Mr. Carlisle understands the dog's psychology and has a marvelous ability to give it expression. Let us hope that more than merely giving amusement, this artist may use his skill in awakening a deeper love in human hearts for man's most faithful friend, the dog, who also has done his heroic bit in war to bring about the era of peace. ANOTHER READER.

Playing Politic.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I wish to congratulate Councilman Banborn on his stand on the appointment of Frank H. Brooks to the Water and Power Commission. There certainly was some politics in the question.

The writer was solicited by an employee of the Water and Power Department to sign a petition urging Mr. Sanborn to turn down Frank Brooks.

Employees should attend to their business and stay out of politics. ADAM BROCKIE.

Nye and Johnson

PASADENA, Dec. 28.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Gerald P. Nye, a United States Senator from the State of North Dakota, has recently been venting his spleen against the State of California because we will not turn loose the convicts, Billings and Mooney.

If the people of North Dakota wish to be represented in the United States Senate by such a rabid sympathizer with the foes of law and order that is their privilege. But it ought to open the eyes of the people of California to the kind of company kept by their own chosen Senator, Hiram Johnson. An examination of the record will show that Johnson has voted oftener in the company of Nye than any other. They have been together in opposition to every constructive measure advocated by the stalwart Republicans of the Senate and have tried in every way to impede the work of the two great Republican Presidents, Coolidge and Hoover, although both Nye and Johnson claim to be Republicans and neither could have been elected without the loyal support of the Republicans of the great States of California and North Dakota. Let's not forget. JOHN COURTNEY.

WHERE CAN I LEARN
Manicuring?

BY LOUISE L. TEMPLE

[Prepared in co-operation with the Los Angeles evening high schools. Questions concerning free evening classes will be answered if stamped addressed envelope is inclosed. Address Louise L. Temple, care of The Times.]

The Jefferson Evening High School offers a brief course in manicuring; and, for those who wish to enter this art as a trade, a complete course in all phases of beauty work. The school is located at East Thirty-eighth and Compton avenue, and there is no charge of any kind for students in the class. People of all ages are admitted to the class, though young girls are more apt to find employment after graduating. Classes are on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, 7 to 9.

The instruction includes manicuring, facial, hair curling, French paper waving, bob curls, scalp treatments, hair manufacturing, curls, switches for the new evening styles, wig and toupe. Many girls who are regularly working in beauty shops find it helpful to come to this class occasionally to brush up on the latest ideas.

The teacher is Mrs. Marie Ralston, for sixteen years in the trade, with J. W. Robinson Company, Weaver Jackson Company, Max Factor and Company and as a teacher in the Florentine Hair Dressing College.

In decorated boats the Swan Herdsmen of the King of England recently made their annual trip up the Thames to Henley to place identification marks on the swans on the river.

An American engineering firm has charge of the construction of the "Cartera al Mar" highway in Colombia for which $9,000,000 already has been appropriated.

1930

BY W. L. Y. DAVIS

The years are racing by in high. Time seems to be the largest element in the contract. We travel faster and faster. New Year's is a cherub riding in a heavenly chariot, its pathway well-nigh choked with Christmas trees.

And he always comes in the latest model. What started a-foot is now a-wheel, a-wing. The slow coaches have all been run off the road. The antiques are in museums to show how far we have traveled.

To some, New Year's comes around like a flat-wheel. They are jolted at having to write "1930" at the head of correspondence and it takes time to acquire the habit.

We make a desperate effort to quit paving the road to perdition; but periodically we return and send down new material. And yet when a man is so far spent that he ceases to make new resolutions the undertaker is already shaking up his embalming fluid.

He who is cynical over the past is growing old, and his life will not bear close inspection. But when a man lives in the future, revels in its possibilities, faces the sunrise, he is young in spirit. The best is yet to come.

New Year's always exceeds the speed limit. It is here before we expect it. But then Galileo exceeded the speed limit of his age and was summoned into the traffic court by some of the slow pokes of his day. The Man of Nazareth was thousands of years ahead of his time.

The greatest moments are exceedingly brief. Like most exquisite joys, they are soon over. The greatest deeds are momentary. Highest levels may not be maintained long.

The great things we do, the lines we write, the songs we sing, even the machines we invent for the ages, are just asides in our work-a-day world. They are but by-products. In the end the world honors us for being good sports; not for what we do.

If Lincoln were born today, he would be as potentially great as in '63, but who would find him out? There would be no slaves to free, no Union in jeopardy to save. He might be pettifogging in some sleepy town, still freeing rabbits caught in hedges, still saving Indians' lives—if there were any—instead of slaying them in war, still judge—of horse races, still a lover who would fail to turn up on his wedding day, still unwilling to lie to save the miserable carcass of some scamp of a client. The world is full of undiscovered successes. Not all great men have their names in the papers.

It may never be given us to solve the problem of the dinner pail nor of the garbage can. Your greatest problem may be to hoe your row to the end, to stretch the dollar bill to pay the rent, to look the grocer in the face, to wash the dishes, to clothe the kiddie with even a middle, to darn the socks, and sew all the buttons on.

Yet God still hides his diamonds in the dirt. The Kohinoor was booted out of the way before it was picked up and put into a king's crown.

It may be possible yet to watch a wicker basket cradling an emancipator of the race. A dug-out manger may yet rock a Son of God!

Who wants to go back over the old roads? Why not take a new trail through the mountains and have it full of surprises? What is the use of moping around about living your life over again? Why not live the life you have? Better to die for others while dying is good! The time may come when you will live forever.

This is an age of marvels. "Arabian Nights" is not a pack of lies at all—it is a book of prophecy. Munchausen was also past master of the Ancient and Accepted Lodge of Liars; however, in his most artistic moments never lied he quite like this. The man who tells the story of this age will probably be put into the Ananias Club or on the waiting list at least.

We are but babes sitting on the doorsten of the centuries, sucking thumbs.

ALLURING BAIT

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said,"
I will not, will not buy a thing
Unless I pay spot cash, by Jing?
Then he gets circulars galore
From every big department store.
And in effect the letters say,
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Why trouble to bring in the cash
When you buy radios or hash?
We'll sell you everything you seek
At so much down, so much per week.
In fact, your rating is so good
That if by any chance you should
Desire to pay us quarterly,
We will extend this courtesy.
Breathes there a man as firm as steel,
Who never fell for this soft soiel,
And broke his resolution rash
To never buy except for cash,
And learned to say without a sting,
Charge it, and mail the bill.
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E. L. AULTMAN.

Cementing Their Love

"Oh, George, do you realize it's almost a year since our honeymoon and that glorious day we spent on the sands? I wonder how we'll spend this one?"

"On the rocks."—(Vancouver Province.

Advertise for It

Valet: Did you ring, sir?
Absurdly Rich Gentleman (taking his morning bath): Yes, I've lost the beastly soap. Jump in at once and find it.—(London Opinion.

A new motor service from Messina, the railway terminus in the Union of South Africa, to Victoria, Matabeleland, is expected to greatly develop the Bulawayo district.

PEN POINTS

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RIPPLING RHYMES
Walt Mason

SWEARING-OFF SEASON

The New Year Day's upcoming, and I am thinking how I'll gain
Some virtues I have need of, and obtains that need entombing—other sins shall I discard? Back years I have been pledging myself to better things, and while my friends were hedging, I kept my vows, by jings. Long years I used to borrow a rube here and there, which habit brought me sorrow, and forty kinds of woe. All blushing I admit it, but I had sense enough one New Year's day to quit it—and quitting is the stuff. I used to call for beers and pannikins of beer, and hang around the brewers' wagons in seeming through the year. Refusing every warning I pulled this foolish chore, until, one New Year morning, I vowed I'd drink no more. I used to be a glutton; I'd eat, without a regret, until each blooming button flew off my straining vest. All day the kind domestic was cooking things to eat; my paunch was so packed I couldn't see my feet. My jaded bones were aching beneath this grievous load, and I grew tired of dragging the slow up the road. And so, on New Year morning, I swore aloud, "By James, hereafter I'll be scorning the glutton's fatal games. I will not sit consuming cooked victuals half the day, but when my hunger's booming I'll eat a plate of hay." I made these divers pledges, and kept a hundred more, and tawsed them down with wedges, and nailed them on the door. And they have made me strong, and they have made me strong, and it seems blithe and seasoned and full of joy and song. So I believe in swearing upon the New Year day to quit all foolish facing to quit the reckless way.

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...small army of workmen with ... steam shovels, hammers ... and trucks cast anxious eyes at a ... yesterday as they labored ... on an elaborate system ... dams to curb possible flood ... from Western and Vermont ... canyons in Griffith Park in ... of a heavy rain.

The City Park Department, with ... help from the engineering de... is doing some fast emer... work made necessary by the ... brush fire which swept over a ... portion of the Hollywood side ... park watershed. What is ... as the Western-avenue basin ... park at the head of Western ... was swept by the fire, leav... ... barren of protect... ... The Vermont-avenue ... also suffered extensively.

WATERSHED IN FACT

...has been the experience of oth... communities in hillside brush ... a heavy rain will flow off the ... like water off a tin roof, ... with it tons of mud, ashes ... debris, such as overwhelmed ... streets of Burbank after the ... Canyon fire.

The Park Department hopes to ... such trouble with check dams. ... fifty or sixty are contemplat... ... of them are already in, ... in size from a few feet to ... than 100 feet long. Even up ... side canyons these small ... have been put in, most of ... of timber and plank construc... ... by earth. On the larg... ... a thin concrete facing ... be put on the up-stream sur... to prevent washing.

RACE AGAINST RAIN

...on the Vermont-avenue side ... of men under G. B. Worthan ... superintendent of construction, ... by P. S. Braden, went to ... yesterday with steam ... and trucks to construct a dike ... entrance to the baseball ... The purpose is to form a ... settling basin for any flood ... that may come down, thus ... as much detritus as ... before the waters reach the ... A similar check dam will be ... above the Greek theater in ... canyon.

...work last night became a ... against possible rain as the ... began to cloud. Every avail... man was put to work on the ... dams. As time passes it is ... that the structures will be ... and made permanent. In ... to this work the depart... is erecting the burned-over ... grass.

City Uses Beaver's Craft to Forestall Flood

Check Dams Curb Waters

How the City Park Department is working to avert possible flood damage as a result of the recent brush fire in Griffith Park is demonstrated in the above picture, showing a series of timber check dams in a side canyon above the Western-avenue recreation center in the park. Others are being constructed in Vermont Canyon also.

...nslaughter Charge Against Driver Dropped

...slaughter charges against ... W. Hill, 123 South Marengo ..., Alhambra, were dismissed ...day by Municipal Judge ... at the conclusion of his ...inary hearing. Hill was ac... of manslaughter as the re... of the death of Mrs. Rose Zu..., 3242 West Forty-first street, ... was struck by his car in a pe... crossing on Main street in ... on the 8th inst.

...court session yesterday was ... in an Alhambra hospital, ... Mrs. Margaret Prosser, 126 ... Drive, who was crossing ... with Mrs. Zuchelli at ... she was killed, is recover... ... injuries sustained at the ... She said she observed Hill's ... about 200 feet away when ... turned into the crosswalk, and ... did not look toward it ... until just before she was ...

Judge Stutsman held that negli... a necessary factor in the ... charge, had not been ...

...E GETS FREEDOM ...AND NOW MAY SMOKE

...Barnes Klein, motion-pic... actress, was granted a divorce ... Superior Judge Schauer yester... because her husband, Edward ..., tried to make her quit ... cigarettes. "My husband ... a cigarette and dared me to ... it," said Mrs. Klein, "and ... did he slapped me. When ... baby was born he didn't come ... hospital at all, and played ... Judge Schauer granted ... decree on the grounds of ...

CHOIR WILL AID THEATER FUND AFFAIR

Smallman Group Listed on Program Sunday at Site of Burned Structure

The Smallman A Cappella Choir, under the direction of John Smallman, will give its services to the restoration service program planned for Sunday afternoon on the site of the burned Pilgrimage Play Amphitheater, Mrs. J. J. Carter, in charge of the program, announced last night. The choir, which has just returned from a successful tour of the country, will be dressed in early California costume.

JOHN SMALLMAN

The choir is one of several organizations and individuals giving their assistance to the program which is to be free. The service is to start at 3 o'clock. Free parking space will be available for thousands of automobiles.

At least 10,000 persons are expected to attend the event, which marks the beginning of an intensified drive to get the new Pilgrimage Play Amphitheater under construction by February 1, so that the eleventh consecutive season can get under way in July.

The Pilgrimage Play Amphitheater was burned when a brush fire swept that section of Hollywood Hills October 24. Designs for a new, all concrete, fireproof amphitheater now are being drawn by Architect William Lee Woollett.

COST NOT SUBMITTED

City Engineer Shaw yesterday submitted to the City Council the assessment district map for the improvement of One Hundred and Ninth Place between Broadway and Figueroa street. The map was referred to the Public Works Committee.

MISSION PLAY CAST READY

Special Parties Planned for Initial Matinee Tomorrow Presenting State's Historical Drama

Southern California's world-famous institution, the Mission Play, a pageant drama of the State's early beginnings under Spanish rule, which is sponsored by civic and business interests of Los Angeles city and county, will begin its nineteenth successive season in the historic little town of San Gabriel tomorrow.

With the Hollywood Bowl and the Pilgrimage play the San Gabriel production from the pen of John Steven McGroarty shares the support given by civic and business groups to enterprises regarded as cultural assets of the community and of value as attractions to the Southland as a whole. The beautiful mission-type playhouse at San Gabriel, in which the play is staged, was built by public subscription and the production itself is staged as a nonprofit venture.

SEASON TO SET RECORD

With the opening matinee tomorrow the Mission Play enters on a season that will be epochal in its own as well as theatrical history by reason of the fact that on February 17, next, will be staged the 3000th performance, a record without equal by any other production in the history of the American theater. In the eighteen years the play has been given the season has seldom extended more than four months, but to have reached the 3000 mark by continuous daily performances it would have required eight years and eighty days.

The story of the Mission Play is centered mostly on the establishment of the missions in California and the bringing of civilization into this section of the country by the Spaniards, a work in which Fray Junipero Serra was one of the leading pioneers.

PARTIES PLANNED

R. D. MacLean, Shakespearean dramatic actor, plays the role of Father Serra in the production, and for several seasons he has been developing the character as one of the finest portrayals of his career. Senora Josefa Yorba, heroine of early California history, and whose direct descendants still live at San Gabriel, is the leading feminine character, and the role this season will be handled by Irmalee Campbell.

Officers and directors of the Mission Play Association, a group of business men who administer affairs of the play, will be hosts at special box parties at the colorful opening planned for tomorrow afternoon. Among these who will entertain are W. I. Hollingsworth, president of the association; D. W. Pontius, G. I. Cochran, Samuel K. Rindge, E. L. Doheny, Benjamin F. Bledsoe, Joseph Scott, Norman Chandler, Arthur S. Bent, A. C. Balch and Harold Janss.

COLISEUM CONTRACT APPROVED

Council Also Allocates $225,000 for Putting in New Concrete Seats

By a vote of 9 to 4 the City Council yesterday authorized the execution of the contract governing the Coliseum and also adopted a Finance Committee report allocating $225,000 toward the improvement of the structure.

The only members voting against the report and ordinance were Holland, Jacobson, McAllister and Williams.

The contract is drawn by the city, county, Sixth District Agricultural Association, which owns a part of Exposition Park, and the Community Development Association, which financed the original structure and has supervised it for the entire time of its existence.

Under the contract, the Community Development Association continues in control during the Olympic Games of 1932 and until the first of 1933, at which time the Coliseum is to be taken over by the city and county.

The $225,000 is to be used for rebuilding the upper tiers of seats as a concrete structure, the earth fill above the thirty-sixth row of seats now having settled sufficiently. It is expected that plans for the enlargement of the arena by 25,000 additional seats will be effected before the Olympic Games.

Christmas Seal Plea Repeated

The Los Angeles Tuberculosis Association through Dr. R. L. Cunningham, president, yesterday repeated its request that those who have received Christmas seals remit for them before the new year. Funds raised through sale of the seals, Dr. Cunningham said, constitute the organization's only source of revenue.

Those who have not received seals may obtain a supply by applying to the association at 1008 Transportation Building, TRinity 6584.

SEWER CONTRACT AWARDED

The Board of Public Works yesterday awarded the contract for the construction of sewers in Alhambra avenue and adjacent streets from Lowell avenue to Soto street. The successful bidder was the Hall-Johnson Company. The price of the contract is $587,023.

One out of every nine airplanes in the country is registered in California, according to the Annual Midwinter Number, out January 2.

New Advertising Organization for Coast Announced

The formation of a new western advertising organization, to be a consolidation of Hanff-Metzger, Inc., of New York, and Heintz & Co. of Los Angeles, was announced yesterday in New York by Joseph A. Hanff, president of the eastern organization.

Carl M. Heintz will head the new western organization, to be known as Hanff-Metzger, Ltd., of California. Mr. Heintz, a native son, formerly was western sales representative of the Western Electric and Manufacturing Company and more recently president of Heintz-Robertson and vice-president of Young & McAllister & Heintz.

The new organization will start operations January 1 with headquarters in the Western Pacific Building and a branch office in San Francisco.

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Of Interest to Women

Society

by JUANA NEAL LEVY

Of more than usual interest to society of the Southland as well as in the north is the announcement made this morning by Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Herbert Jones of 6530 De Longpre avenue of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rhoda Cornelia Jones, to Frans Osthaus, son of the late Edmund Osthaus, artist, and Mrs. Osthaus. No date has been set as yet for the wedding.

Miss Jones, whose grandfather, the late United States Senator Cornelius Cole, was one of the State's pioneers, attended University of Southern California and is a member of Pi Beta Phi Sorority. Her fiance is a Stanford man and affiliated with Delta Upsilon Fraternity.

Miss Jones is a member of The Spinsters and was one of the workers at the Assistance League frolic at the Ambassador several weeks ago.

Betrothal Luncheon

Another announcement of much interest is that made this morning by Mr. and Mrs. Woodworth Clum of 700 Rexford Drive, Beverly Hills, of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marjorie Jane Clum, to Archie Billicke, younger son of the late A. C. Billicke and Mrs. Billicke of 825 West Adams street. Word of the betrothal was given at a luncheon on Saturday afternoon at the Los Angeles Country clubhouse, at which Miss Clum was hostess. The wedding is scheduled for June 3, 1930.

The grandfathers of the betrothed pair were pioneers together at Tombstone, Ariz., in 1880. Miss Clum was graduated from Marlborough School last June and is one of the most popular members of the younger set here, while young Billicke was graduated from the Thatcher School in Ojai and also from Deerfield in Massachusetts. Miss Clum now is a student at University of California at Los Angeles.

Enjoying Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Cook of 1155 Elden avenue, who have been enjoying the holidays visiting with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Wiley (Cosette Cook,) at their home in Silver City, N. M., returned home yesterday morning.

Hem. Again

Mrs. A. L. Swobdi-Meade of 356 South Manhattan Place has just returned from a three months' Pacific cruise, having touched twenty-one of the important Pacific ports.

Military Ceremony

The Beverly Hills Community Church was the scene of an impressive military wedding at high noon the 23rd inst., when Miss Margaret Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Reed of Riverside, became the bride of Lieut. Thomas Jefferson Du Bose of March Field. Dr. Arthur Lee Odell read the marriage service in the presence of a small group of friends and relatives of the couple. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of brown velvet with ecru lace bertha, a brown maline hat completing her costume, and she carried an arm bouquet of bronze rosebuds and lilies of the valley. Lieut. and Mrs. B. D. Rindlaub of March Field assisted as best man and matron of honor. Mrs. Rindlaub wore an afternoon gown of bisque satin with brow accessories, and carried a sheaf of yellow rosebuds. Eight West Point classmates of the bridegroom, Lieuts. Donald Armagost, Phineas Morrill, Joseph Bassett, Van Millet, Harland Parks, Donald Stevening, Rudolph Fink and Keene Watkins, acted as an escort and after the ceremony as the bridal party left the church formed an archway with their sabers, beneath which the couple passed. A half-hour of wedding music on the cathedral organ preceded the ceremony. Later a wedding breakfast was served at the Mary Louise on West Seventh street, with places marked for twenty-two guests. The bride cut the wedding cake with her husband's saber.

During their honeymoon trip in the north Lieut. and Mrs. DuBose attended the Stanford-Army game at Palo Alto Easturday. On their return they will make their home in Riverside until June, when Lieut. DuBose will complete his flying course at March Field. The bride, who is prominent in musical circles in Riverside, attended the University of California at Berkeley, where she was a member of Alpha Delta Pi Sorority. Since returning to Riverside she has been organist at the First Congregational Church. She takes an active part in social affairs of the younger set, and is a member of the Junior Aid. Lieut. DuBose, the son of Mrs. Frances DuBose of Oklahoma City, was graduated from West Point last June. Before entering the Military Academy he attended the University of Oklahoma.

Buffet Supper

Mr. and Mrs. William Irving Hollingsworth entertained Sunday evening with a buffet supper at their home in Lafayette Place, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Scott, who returned several weeks ago from an extended European trip. A musical program was arranged by William J. Dodd and twenty guests were bidden, supper served by candlelight.

Dinner-Dance

Mrs. Fred C. Rounds, who has been a guest at the Hotel Huntington since early this winter, entertained at a dinner-dance last Saturday night in the ballroom in honor of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Colbusn, and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James McCarthy Rounds.

A feature of the ballroom decorations was the use of cloth of silver, which completely covered the walls, and elaborate, low-hanging chandeliers especially designed for the affair.

Guests were Mrs. Frederick Aiken, Miss Harriet Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Burger, Mrs. Cora Anton Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Brinton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Dana Bruillin, Mrs. Frederick Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Colburn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Cravens, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Connors, Mr. and Mrs. James Darsie, Mrs. William Englar, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Englar, Mrs. Frank Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Finley, Col. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gage, James Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Melville Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Miss Katherine Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Kellogg, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker McClure, Miss Catherine Mortimer, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Mixwell, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mayer, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Off, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pitcher, Mr. and Mrs. James Pitcher, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pillsbury, Mr. and Mrs. David Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Richter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Richter, Mr. and Mrs. John Reeve, John Reeve, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. Ramson, Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Royce, Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Ryder, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shideler, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Stimson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schlaudermen, Earl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tremaine, Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Tremaine, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. James Van Law and Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson.

Stearns-Hodgman

One of the first weddings of the new year which will be of great importance socially will be that of Mrs. Louise Drummond Stearns and Daniel Holmes Hodgman, to take place at 5 p.m. Thursday in the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. Ringen Drummond of 201 Beacon street, South Pasadena. Dr. Robert Freeman will officiate in the presence of relatives only.

The bride, who will be gowned in pale gray silk with hat to match, wearing with the ensemble a corsage of orchids, will be assisted by her sister, Mrs. Charles Dudley Jennison (Lillian Drummond.) Mrs. Jennison will wear pale yellow with the matching hat and orchid corsage. The bride's brother, John William Drummond, is to give his sister in marriage and Mr. Jennison will serve as best man.

A buffet supper for the family and a few close friends will follow the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Hodgman will leave for a honeymoon in the north. On their return they will establish a home in Parkwood Drive.

Mrs. Stearns attended the Bishop school at La Jolla, while Mr. Hodgman was graduated from Williams, later attending Harvard University. He is a member of Delta Psi fraternity, and of the St. Anthony Club of New York.

ONE OF SUPPER-DANCE HOSTESSES

Smart Affair Given at Country Club

(C. Elmore Grove studios)

Miss Gwendolyn Milner

ONE of the most delightful of the holiday affairs was the supper-dance with which Miss Gwendolyn Milner and Miss Wilma Gartzman entertained last evening at the Midwick Country Club, several hundred members of the younger set being bidden.

Miss Milner, who is the charming young subdeb daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Milner (Winifred Llewellyn) of Berkeley Square, is a student at Marlborough School, as is also Miss Gartzman, and both are active members of Lambda Theta Phi Sorority there. They will be graduated next June.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

Author of "The Fast Way to Health"

FIND OUT THE CAUSE OF DROPSY

Many people write to me asking for a cure of dropsy, as if dropsy were a disease. Dropsy is not a disease. It is an accumulation of fluids in the tissues or in the body cavities and is a symptom which may accompany many different diseases.

Before any case of dropsy can be treated, it is necessary to have a very careful diagnosis to determine just what is causing the dropsical condition. Diseases of the heart and kidneys are the two most common causes, and when one notices an abnormal swelling of the limbs or abdomen, an investigation should immediately be started to find out the real cause.

There is a slight difference between the dropsy due to defective kidneys and the dropsy due to heart trouble, but this alone is not enough upon which to base a diagnosis. As a rule, the dropsy from heart trouble generally comes on toward evening and is lost during the night, while the dropsy from kidney trouble comes on during the night and disappears during the day. Thus, a puffiness under the eyes that appears early in the morning and is gone is usually caused by the kidneys, and if the ankles swell from heart trouble the swelling usually appears toward night and disappears in the morning. This is only true of the early stages, however.

A condition which causes a very toxic blood stream may cause dropsy. Other types of dropsy are, "water on the brain" or hydrocephalus; an engorgement of the liver with toxic wastes may produce a water dropsy or ascites in the abdomen, abnormal fluids in the chest is called hydrothorax, small fluid swellings under the skin are termed edema.

The only form of treatment which will remedy the dropsical condition permanently is a treatment which removes the real causes. Thus, if the dropsy is caused by the heart, the heart must first become normal before you are free of the dropsy. If the source of the trouble is the kidneys, then you will have to adopt a treatment for kidney trouble to overcome this cause of dropsy.

I will be pleased to help you by giving advice, but before writing to me for help about dropsy you should get a diagnosis from your doctor. Send me this report with your letter and then I can mail you some suggestion for diet, exercise and helpful home treatment.

Beautiful rotogravure pictures of the Huntington Galleries in the Annual Midwinter Number, out January 2.

CHEF WYMAN'S RECIPES

Every Tuesday and Friday at 2 o'clock Mrs. A. L. Wyman will conduct a free class and demonstration of good cookery in the lecture room of the Southwest Building, 130 South Broadway.

SCALLOPED FISH AND CAULIFLOWER

On the bottom of a well-buttered baking dish, spread a layer of cooked fish, that has been freed from all skin and bone and broken in small flakes, season with salt and paprika and add a few drops of lemon juice, sprinkle over this a fourth of a cupful of buttered bread crumbs, and place on top of it, a layer of cooked cauliflower, that has been broken in small pieces, season this with salt and paprika, and dot with bits of butter, sprinkle over some buttered crumbs and continue till the dish is filled, pour over a rich cream sauce, cover with buttered crumbs, and bake in a medium oven until heated through.

CHOCOLATE PUDDING

Beat to a cream four tablespoonfuls of butter, and add the yolks of three eggs, one at a time, beating well, after the addition of each yolk, beat in four tablespoonfuls of sugar, four tablespoonfuls of cocoa, and half a cupful of grated bread crumbs, mix well, and add the whites of the eggs that have been beaten until stiff, pour into buttered individual molds, set in a pan of boiling water, and bake in a moderate oven for thirty minutes.

GRAPE-JUICE SOUFFLE

Mix two cupfuls of grape juice with two tablespoonfuls of gelatine and let stand for five minutes, pour into a double boiler, and stir until the gelatine is dissolved, drain into a bowl that has been set in cracked ice, and when the mixture starts to thicken, fold in the stiffly beaten whites of four eggs, rinse out individual molds, in ice water, and half-fill with a grape-juice mixture, beat three-quarters of a cupful of cream until stiff, and add to the balance of the mixture, when the bottom part has become solid, fill with the cream mixture and chill in the ice box, unmold, and garnish with sweetened vanilla-flavored whipped cream.

EGGS AND CHIPPED BEEF

Take two cupfuls of dried chipped beef, shred it, pour boiling water over it, allow to stand for one minute, then drain, place one cupful of tomatoes in a saucepan, add one-quarter of a cupful of grated cheese, a few drops of onion juice, one-half of a green pepper, chopped fine and a few grains of cayenne pepper, and allow to cook until the pepper is tender, melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saute pan, pour the mixture into it, then add to the mixture three well-beaten eggs, stir and cook until firm, pour over hot-buttered toast, garnish with parsley and serve.

Mrs. Wyman does not reply to letters but requests for recipes are answered in the department, PRACTICAL RECIPES, published every Friday.—(All rights to reproduce reserved by A. L. Wyman.)

WHEN THE SANDMAN COMES

A Bedtime Story

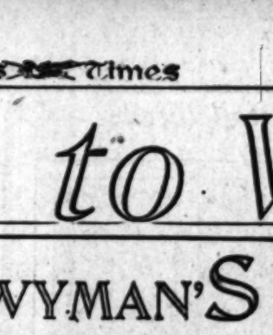
by THORNTON W. BURGESS

There still are those who think that right is nothing more or less than might.

—Happy Jack Squirrel.

Happy Jack the Gray Squirrel wasn't happy. No, sir, he wasn't happy. He had possession of his new house—the house that Farmer Brown's boy had built especially for him and put in the maple tree in the front yard. But still he wasn't happy. You see, all day long Spooky the Screech Owl had set somewhere near at hand ready to take possession if Happy Jack should come out. Happy Jack knew that if Spooky once got inside he would stay there. So Happy Jack was in a way a prisoner in his own house.

But this wasn't the worst of it. Happy Jack kept thinking about the coming night. How he did dread the coming of the Black Shadows! You see, Happy Jack is afraid of the dark. That is, he is afraid to be out after dark. He hasn't the kind of eyes that can see well in the dark. On the other hand, Spooky the Screech Owl loves the dark. That is the time when he goes out hunting. He sleeps by day and hunts by night. All this Happy Jack knew. He understood perfectly why Spooky was hanging around. He was just waiting until it should be dark. Then he would come right into that house and Happy Jack dreaded to think what might happen with Spooky using those stout, sharp claws and that hooked bill while he, Happy Jack, couldn't see to fight.



He knew that Spooky had alighted on the roof

At last the Black Shadows came creeping across the Green Meadows and up to the maple tree in Farmer Brown's yard. It grew dark inside that little house. Happy Jack heard a thump on the roof. He knew what had made that thump. He knew that Spooky had alighted on the roof. He could hear those big claws scratching on the roof. He grew more and more fearful. He knew he wouldn't dare to go to sleep in there in the dark. There would be no sleep for him all night. He began to wish that he hadn't insisted on keeping that house. He began to wish that he had let Spooky have it.

Spooky poked his head in at the doorway. Happy Jack snapped at him and ground his teeth and snarled. Spooky drew back. Yes, sir, Spooky drew back. But he didn't show any real fear. He snapped his bill and the sound wasn't pleasant to hear.

"Wait, just wait! I'll get you tonight!" said Spooky. "Wait until it is dark! I'll pull you out of there!" Then he snapped his bill some more.

It wasn't really dark outside. Peering out Happy Jack could see that, while the Black Shadows were creeping this way and that way, it was not really dark. It was dark inside but not outside. Very abruptly Happy Jack made up his mind. He and Spooky couldn't both live in that house. If Spooky got in there would be nothing to do but get out. Spooky would get in. He knew it. He would get in after dark. It would be better to leave before dark than after dark. There was still time for him to reach his old home before the dusk became too deep.

Out of that house jumped Happy Jack. He came out so suddenly that he actually knocked Spooky the Screech Owl from his perch. Down the tree raced Happy Jack. Spooky started to follow him. Then he changed his mind. With a chuckle he popped inside that house. "I knew it!" said he. "I would get it. It's mine and I'm going to keep it."

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CLUB NOTES

BY MYRA NYE

With the beginning of the new year, the political kettle begins to boil gently in women's organizations. By early spring each one of them will conduct campaigns for elections. An announcement of importance along this line is the indorsement of Mrs. Frank R. Schaefer for the office of second vice-president of the California Congress of Parents and Teachers. The indorsement comes from her own district, the tenth, which includes Los Angeles county and is the largest in the State.

MRS. FRANK R. SCHAEFER

Mrs. Schaefer now is concluding a 3-year term as district president after having served as secretary and as president of a local association; program and clinic chairman, council president and fifth, third and first vice-president of Tenth District. In the State organization she has given service as manager of the Bureau of Education Extension and chairman of American citizenship, the total of Parent-Teacher Association service being eighteen years. The nominee is a graduate of the University of Illinois and the Illinois State Library School and is a member of the honorary scholarship fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa. She has been an instructor in Illinois University and the Kansas State Normal. She was librarian in both of these universities' libraries and in the Congressional Library at Washington, D. C. Training of this character is eminently fitting to make her efficient in the office she seeks, it is stated by prominent local workers of the Parent-Teacher Association.

With Mrs. Schaefer presiding, the district meeting will be conducted Thursday of this week in the Gardena High School Building, One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Normandie avenue, Gardena. Among those who will appear on the program are Mrs. T. R. Knudsen, introducing new association; Mrs. Marie Evans, membership chairman; Mrs. J. Fred Rodgers, magazines; Mrs. S. W. Horner, "Congress publications;" Mrs. H. Z. Osborne, "Public Welfare," also conducting the question box discussions; Mrs. D. S. Schwartz, "Thrift;" Mrs. W. H. McKinney, "Home Economics;" Mrs. J. K. Lytle, "Child Welfare;" Mrs. P. M. King, "Parental Education," and Mrs. J. P. Siegel, chairman of Founders' Day celebration.

The only other candidate indorsed for office as announced by the State publicity chairman, Mrs. J. L. Thornton, is Mrs. Bayliss C. Clark for the office of third vice-president. Her name is presented by the Second District which is in San Francisco.

Scribblers' League

Francis Joseph Hickson will be chief speaker at the first meeting for the new year of the Scribblers' League Saturday evening at the Alexandria. His subject is "Criticism." Others who will appear are Miss Louise Temple giving a brief shop talk and Miss Patience Leaver, who will sing.

Friday Morning Club

Gordon Whitnall will be the luncheon speaker for the Friday Morning Club this week, when his subject is "Our Civic Center Plan." He will show a model of the center as it will be when finished.

"Contemporary Vogue of Biography" is the subject to be presented at the formal morning program by Dr. Benjamin Harrison Lehman. Mrs. Sarah Bixby Smith will preside.

Women's University Club

Prof. Glenn Hughes, head of the drama department of Scripps College, will speak on "The World Theater Today" at a luncheon meeting of the Women's University Club, 943 South Hoover street, Saturday at 12:30 p.m. Prof. Hughes, a leading authority on the art of the theater, also is a specialist in Japanese literature and is collaborating with Y. T. Iwasaki in translating modern Japanese literature. He now is preparing for spring publication a book on modern poetry entitled "Imagism and the Imagists."

Beginning Monday Dr. Gertrude Laws, assistant chief of adult education for California, will conduct a series of sessions for intensive discussion on "Progressive Education" for the education group of the club, Mrs. Harry Hill, chairman. The meetings will be conducted each Monday at 10:30 a.m. and will be followed by luncheon in the clubhouse. Members of neighboring university clubs have been invited to attend.

Philanthropy and Civics Club

"The High Cost of Sinning" will be the subject of Lieut.-Col. LeRoy F. Smith, speaking before the Philanthropy and Civics Club Thursday in the clubhouse in Wilton Place. Lieut.-Col. Smith is in charge of the speakers' bureau of the Better American Federation of California and has won nation-wide recognition as a writer and speaker on civic and patriotic topics.

Mrs. Joseph B. Bonhaus, junior past president, will direct the discussion of current events at 2 p.m. preceding the address. Luncheon will be served at 1 p.m. Mrs. Nellie Dean Graham is president of the club.

Wilshire Art and Travel Club

Mrs. Mary Marshall Wiley, president of the Wilshire Art and Travel Club, will keep open house at her residence, 983 Magnolia avenue, tomorrow for members and their friends from 12 noon until midnight. Members of her executive board and others will assist in entertaining, including Mrs. Walter Hubner, Mrs. Rodman Robeson, Mrs. Eugene W. Gill, Mrs. John Simpson, Mrs. A. W. Meek, Mrs. Susan B. Lage, Mrs. Anna M. Bald, Mrs. S. A. Webb, Mrs. Leonard M. Woodward, Mrs. Charlotte E. Ash, Mrs. Elmer E. Frost, Mrs. George E. Loring and Mrs. Charles Sidney Shepard.

French Study

The Beverly Hills Woman's Club will convene Friday at 2:30 p.m. for the study of French. Mrs. J. B. Millard is president emeritus of the club and Mrs. Jarl P. Murdock is president.

Annual Party Today

"Yuletide in Other Lands" will be a part of the program for the annual Christmas party of the University Book Club at 10 a.m. today in the club at 3420 University avenue. The president, Mrs. E. Keith Harkness, will be assisted by the hospitality committee, Mrs. Charles L. Bogue, Mrs. Carrie Wayde and Miss Shirley Coleman. A Christmas "grab-bag" will provide entertainment and a small gift for each person.

CHEF WYMAN OFFERS SOME UNIQUE DISHES

In preparing the menu for the Los Angeles Times Free Cooking School at 130 South Broadway today, Chef Wyman seemed to be inspired by the approach of the new year for every recipe to be demonstrated is one that will be new and unusual for the average housewife. Probably few women have made a turnip pie for their families yet it is one of the whole meal dishes that are economical and appetizing. Peppers stuffed with bananas is another unusual recipe, and the women who enjoy baking will be interested in learning how to make those crisp cookies called snippi doodles. A sponge layer cake with a mint cream filling completes Mrs. Wyman's program for the class, which is held at 2 o'clock, and to which The Times invites everyone interested in cooking.

For Baby's Crib

When buying rubber sheeting for baby's crib, it is wise to buy the rubber sheet that is already cut and finished on the edges and has metal eyelets in each corner. Then safety pins may be slipped through these eyelets and the rubber sheet turned under the mattress and pinned to the under side. The sheet will never slip and baby will not be annoyed with wrinkles underneath him.

Fashion Decrees

Chanel Bolero Dress—Blue Wool Crepe Dress, Trimmed Georgette Stitched Bias Bands.

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Your Baby and Mine

by MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to the care of children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to her will bring a personal reply.

This department offers leaflets on weaning and feeding the baby; also one on how to "educate" care and diet for the nursing mother; another outlining outfits for the new baby; sleeping garments; bathing; ammoniacal urine and scalding; training to cleanly habits; normal and liver ailments; colds; sleeping garments; refrigerators; baby's room; baby's toilet; nursing; vomiting; refreshers; constipation; baby's bowels; spring fevers; worms; rickets; rupture; sties and boils and cradle cap. Any one of these leaflets will be sent free upon request. If you have a personal question about one of these subjects it is better to send a self-addressed stamped envelope for the leaflet you need. If your question is not covered in the above list Mrs. Eldred will be glad to write you a personal reply.

IS YOUR RECREATION GAINED AT SACRIFICE OF BABY'S SLEEP?

Years ago, twelve to be exact, we wrote our first article entitled "Your Baby and Mine," and that first article had to do with "Little Night Owls." We were obsessed in those days with the plight of small babies who lost their rest at night because mothers and fathers insisted on taking them to places of amusement. With our own three tucked into their beds at 6 and 6:30 and never a peep out of them, we watched with discomfort when babies were carried into movies or brought to the homes of friends and bounced about all evening in an effort to keep them from crying. Once when we had to take a train at 11 o'clock with the flock, we burned with shame at being seen out with such young children at night. We wanted to tell the world that we knew better but couldn't help ourselves.

We don't feel very differently today. Neither, it appears, do some of our readers. The following letter inspired this outburst of ancient history.

"May I find a small space in your column for a word?" Mrs. H. writes. "I attended a movie this evening, leaving after the last performance. I saw a young couple coming out carrying a baby not over three months' old. I have one that age and noticed their similarity of size. There it was, perked up on its father's arm, fuzzy little head wabbling all around, bright eyes wide open. I thought about how that little baby had to be taken out in the raw, foggy night, taken to its home, undressed and finally settled for the night, and it was after 11 then.

BEST PLACE FOR BABY IS AT HOME

"It is my opinion that an evening's entertainment is dearly bought at the price of the baby's rest, and now especially when there is so much sickness about. I have three little folks. Sometimes my mother stays with them, sometimes my husband. Even if I had no one I would prefer staying at home to taking babies and children out at night.

"Surely if mothers must have entertainment, they can go to shows in the daytime. One nearly always sees a line of baby buggies and carts at the back during a night show. I may sound like a crank, and perhaps by morning I shall regret this and leave it unwritten. But I do feel so sorry for children out at night."

I'm glad you didn't wait until morning. I realize how badly mothers and fathers need recreation, and they should have it. But they should manage it without the babies. If babies are accustomed to being put to bed at 6 or, at the latest, 7 at night, the parents can go away and leave them with some responsible person over 16 and have twice the pleasure and comfort they would have if baby were along.

When a mother tells me that baby won't go to sleep until midnight, and refuses to close an eye until his parents are in bed, she needn't tell me anything more. In most cases that baby has just his nose out-of-joint and early-to-sleep habits ruined. It isn't natural to expect good sleeping habits when one refuses to break them the rest. The baby is going to demand to be entertained every night.

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EUROPEAN ACTRESS ON FIRST VISIT HERE

Fay Marbe

Fay Marbe, European stage actress, arrived in Los Angeles last night of the Chief on her first appearance in California to present a revue, unusual in that she gives an entire two-hour performance by herself. She is said to rank with Raquel Meller, Ruth Draper and other famous actresses as an individual entertainer.

Miss Marbe arrived with eleven trunks full of new Parisian evening gowns, sequin costumes, sport ensembles and other finery for her program of songs, dances and costume displays which recently ran for twelve weeks at the Belmont Theater in New York. She is a guest at the Roosevelt Hotel.

The actress expressed delight at being able to visit Los Angeles and Hollywood and negotiations are under way to stage her unique "one-girl revue" at the Windsor Square Theater the week of January 19, next.

'WESTERN CITY' NAME OF NEW MAGAZINE

"Western City," a monthly magazine which will deal with the problems, progress and personalities of the municipalities in the eleven States comprising the Far West, will make its first appearance this month. Issued here by Palmer Publications, "Western City" supersedes the magazine "Hydraulic Engineering," which has been published under that name for the past four years. The new magazine is designed specifically for city officials, but it is expected to prove interesting for all persons interested in civic affairs.

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Investigation Started by Will Forgery Hint

Investigation into charges that George Lafayette Finn, former State Senator from Iowa, may have come to his death through foul means, yesterday brought to light new facts which indicated that the entire case will be closed within the next fortnight.

This was disclosed when Dr. Frank Murphy appeared at the District Attorney's office and related all the facts he knew concerning the death of the former Senator. Dr. Murphy's statements were supported by Dr. Holden Jones, at present an inmate of a Monrovia sanatorium that Senator Finn came to his death through natural causes.

Daniel Beecher, chief of Dist.-Atty. Fitts's trial department, declared that he will make no decision on the matter until he has received further evidence.

Dr. Jones stated that the autopsy was performed at the request of Senator Finn and that death was the result of natural causes. Dr. Murphy's statement coincided with that of Dr. Jones, according to Beecher.

However, the investigation by the office of the District Attorney will continue until all persons known to have come in contact with Senator Finn during his illness have been interviewed.

The investigation followed the appearance of Mrs. Gladye McAfee, of Santa Monica, grandniece of the dead man, and her attorney, at Beecher's office in connection with the possibility of forgery in one of Finn's wills.

Girl Arrested Linked to Role of Chameleon

Known to police as the Chameleon Lady because of her asserted quick changes from one identity to another, Mary Aller, who gave her address as 5303 Hamilton Way, is in the County Jail again. This time she is charged with suspicion of grand theft, and it all grew out of an automobile mishap on Wilshire Boulevard Sunday night.

Exactly who was at fault detectives have been unable to learn, but the Aller car seems to have been the principal casualty. Two men were in the other car and the young woman is said to have used all her feminine wiles in bringing matters to an amicable conclusion. One of the men said he gave her $10 and the use of his car to buy some liquor, and promised to wait.

He waited, but saw no more of either Miss Aller, the car or the $10 until Detectives Morris and Harper found her yesterday.

Police records show that, under the name of Mildred Cabney, she was arrested August 22, 1922, as an associate of confidence men. Next, as Patricia Evans, she was charged with petty larceny October 20, 1924. Her next one was that of Lillian MacDonald, arrested May 14, 1925 on a charge of vagrancy, and on November 24, 1925, she was arrested as Mildred Sills on a vagrancy charge.

When arrested yesterday she denounced the charge as an outrage.

Sister Identifies Highway Suicide

Following an investigation of more than two weeks, Deputy Sheriffs Penprase and Gray yesterday reported they have identified the man who hanged himself on a tree beside the Pacific Electric Railway tracks between Colima and Cole Roads on the 11th inst., as John J. Quell.

Identification, according to the deputies, was made through communication with a sister, Mrs. Mary Imo of Hornell, N. Y. Quell is asserted to have left the eastern city twenty-seven years ago. His body, according to a Sheriff's office report, has been cremated and the ashes are being held at the County Morgue pending word from the sister as to what disposition she wishes made of them.

DIVORCEE PLANNING TRIP TO HONOLULU

Mrs. Madge Louise Mitchell

Mrs. Madge Louise Mitchell, granted a divorce on grounds of desertion by her husband, Joseph S. Mitchell, in New Mexico, October 1, 1928, will leave for Honolulu on the first ship that sails after the New Year, she told her attorney, Allen S. Lund, yesterday.

Mrs. Mitchell was granted custody of her 3-year-old son by decree of Superior Judge Schauer before whom her divorce case was tried.

FIRST TO THE FINISH ALL SEASON LONG—

11 more American records for STANDARD OIL PRODUCTS

—in the Mid-winter Outboard Sweepstakes

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To polish off the season, Red Crown Aviation Gasoline and Mobiloil bring home eleven record breakers — 67 out of 75 place winners in the Mid-Winter Sweepstakes held at Long Beach (November 30-December 1)—at Balboa (December 4)—at Elsinore (December 7-8) — and at Salton Sea (December 14-15). "Standard" products' *lightning* speed makes H. G. Ferguson a four-time record breaker, Charles Holt a three-time American champion, with 14 year old Billy Lyon a "two-timer," and Margaret Mullen, B. A. Wheeler also American record holders in the last outboard regatta of 1929!

HERE ARE THE WINNERS

AT LONG BEACH
(November 30-December 1)

H. G. Ferguson

5 OUT OF 8 FIRSTS— 11 OUT OF 24 PLACE WINNERS FOR "STANDARD" PRODUCTS

Class B, Division 1
**2. Ludington 18—Dick Frost
3. Golden Bear II—Bob Brown

Class B, Division 2
1. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson
2. Crandall Comet 65—Billy Lyon
3. Crandall Comet 3—Chas. Holt

Class C, Division 1
1. Hell Bent—Wm. Gerard
3. Black Ace—Don Miller

Class C, Division 2
2. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson
3. Vagabond—W. H. Wheeler

Class D, Division 2
1. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson
**2. Flash—Jake Dunnell
3. Crandall Comet 3—Chas. Holt

Runabout Race—Class E
1. Fred Ashbridge
*2. H. R. Simonson
3. J. McQuilkin

Special Runabout Surfboard Race
1. C-10—Fred Ashbridge
3. Patsy B—Joe McQuilkin

Ladies Race
*2. Blue Streak—Marg...et Mullen

AT BALBOA
(December 4)

Charles Holt

6 AMERICAN RECORDS SET WITH RED CROWN AVIATION GASOLINE AND MOBILOIL

Class A, Division 1
*Blue Streak 5—Margaret Mullen —time 27.853 MPH.

Class A, Division 2
*Blue Streak—Chas. Holt— time 28.42 MPH.

Class B, Division 1
Baby Brontosaurus—Billy Lyon— time 43.96 MPH.

Class B, Division 2
Crandall Comet C-3—Chas. Holt —time 43.92 MPH.

Class D, Division 1
Baby Brontosaurus—Billy Lyon— time 47.132 MPH.

Class D, Division 2
*Crandall Comet C-3 — H. G. Ferguson—time 49.47 MPH.

AT ELSINORE
(December 7-8)

B. A. Wheeler

"STANDARD" PRODUCTS RODE WITH 23 OUT OF 24 WINNERS

Class B, Division 2—*Hunsaker Trophy*
2. Crandall Comet—Chas. Holt
*3. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson

Class C, Division 1—*Aarup Trophy*
1. Vagabond—B. A. Wheeler
2. Crandall Comet—Billy Lyon
3. Oo La La—B. O. Gambrell

Class C, Division 2—*Macrate Trophy*
*1. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson
2. Vagabond—B. A. Wheeler
3. Apache Kid—Carl Koeffler

Class D, Division 2
*1. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson
2. Crandall Comet—Chas. Holt
3. Jean Ann—E. H. Stivers

Free-for-All Special
1. Shamrock—C. O. Murphy
2. Miss Glendale — Dr. C. S. Steelman
*3. Mercury—W. F. Mitchell

Ladies' Class C
*1. Blue Streak—Margaret Mullen
2. Apache Kid — Loretta Turnbull
3. Ludington—Lois Blanchard

Run-about, Class E
1. Ashbridge Flyer—Fred Ashbridge
2. Relwah, Jr.—R. P. Higgins
3. Sunkist Mama—Raymond Turnbull

Aquaplane
1. Ashbridge Flyer—Fred Ashbridge
2. Relwah, Jr.—R. P. Higgins
3. Sunkist Mama—Raymond Turnbull

AT SALTON SEA
(December 14-15)

Al Thomson

5 MORE AMERICAN RECORDS FOR "STANDARD" PRODUCTS, AND 26 OUT OF 27 WINNERS

MACKAY TROPHY RACE
(This race for points totaled from Long Beach, Elsinore and Salton Sea.)
1. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson
2. Apache Kid—Carl Koeffler
3. Black Maria—Al Thomson

Class B, Division 2—5 miles
1. Crandall Comet C-3—Chas. Holt
*2. Blue Streak C-1—H. G. Ferguson
3. Crandall Comet C-65—Billy Lyon

Class B, Division 2—10 miles
1. Crandall Comet—Chas. Holt —38.83 MPH. *American Record*
*2. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson

Class C, Division 1—5 miles
1. Vagabond—B. A. Wheeler—41.095 MPH. *American Record*
2. Crandall Comet C-65—Billy Lyon
3. Believe-it-or-not—Dick Buttemer

Class C, Division 2—5 miles
1. Blue Streak C-1—H. G. Ferguson—42.3529 MPH. *American Record*
2. Apache Kid—Carl Koeffler
3. Vagabond—B. A. Wheeler

Class C, Ladies' Race—5 miles
1. Apache Kid — Loretta Turnbull 41.86 MPH.
2. Blue Streak—Margaret Mullen
3. Believe-it-or-not—Kay Buttemer

Class C, Consolation Race
1. Miss Arizona—James Jordan
2. Crandall Comet—Willard Crandall
3. Desert Kid—Bud Pearson

Class D, Division 2—15 miles
*1. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson —44.926 MPH. *American Record*
2. Crandall Comet C-3—Chas. Holt
3. Vagabond—B. A. Wheeler

Class D, Division 2—5 miles
*1. Blue Streak—H. G. Ferguson —45.34 MPH. *American Record*
2. Crandall Comet C-3 — Chas. Holt
3. Spirit of California — F. W. Fisher

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PAPER OF DEAD PASTOR READ FOR METHODISTS

Dr. E. H. Vaughn, retired minister of the Kansas Methodist Conference who died in Los Angeles three weeks ago, spoke yesterday through the lips of Rev. H. S. Putnam when, at the Methodist preachers' meeting at First Methodist Episcopal Church, Mr. Putnam read a paper on "The Great West," prepared by Dr. Vaughan just before his death and which he had intended to read at the ministers' conference. Extolling the possessions and possibilities of the western part of America, Dr. Vaughn wrote:

"The mountains of the West contain twenty times as much coal and mineral wealth as the mountains of all of Europe, God makes no mistakes. He knows the work He had for us to do and He prepared this wealth and power for our use. As he has given us much, He requires much at our hands. He has placed us on the sun-tipped heights of opportunity and it is for us to use our good gifts for the benefit of humanity. Our Christian civilization should be the greatest in the history of the world."

Another speaker was Dr. F. D. Mather, who preached his first prohibition sermon fifty-six years ago and who reviewed the long struggle which ended in ratification of the Eighteenth Amendment.

"When I remember that seventeen years ago Pomona had seventeen saloons and no minister and that today that city has seventeen pastors and no saloons, it is easy for me to believe the world is growing better," said Dr. Mather.

In the course of his address Dr. Mather paid a tribute to the wives of Methodist preachers who, he said, "are among the best women in the world and, unquestionably the world's best cooks. When it comes to preparing fried chicken and hot biscuits, they are in a class by themselves."

HUBBARD WILL FILED

H. C. Hubbard, pioneer and former county Supervisor, who died at his home in San Fernando the 7th inst., at the age of 84, left his $12,500 estate to his son and daughter according to the terms of his will on file yesterday. The son and daughter are Wright Hubbard of Owensmouth, and Mrs. Catherine Dace of San Fernando.

EX-GRID PLAYER'S PLEA BRINGS DELAY

Morris E. White, 23 years of age, said to have been a former football star at the University of Alabama and at one time a member of the local police department football team, appeared before United States District Judge James yesterday for sentence on a charge of impersonating an army officer. Time for sentence was continued until February 17, next, at which time an application for probation will be heard. White admitted that he represented himself as an officer to Miss Mercia Baxter of San Diego, and thus induced her to cash two checks for small amounts.

I think that the Maumee law will increase the number of murders, especially of policemen.—[Edgar Wallace.

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NEWS OF SOUTHERN COUNTIES

FLOAT DESIGNER PROVES PLUCKY

Supervises Glendale Entry From His Sick Bed

Will Witness Tournament From Doctor's Car

Police Escort Accorded to Invalid En Route

GLENDALE, Dec. 30.—Weakened by the ravages of illness from which he has been suffering for over a year L. W. Chobe, the designer for years past of Glendale's prize-winning entries in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses, is today supervising and directing, from a sick bed, the completion of the float that will bear the Glendale colors in Pasadena on Wednesday.

About a year and a half ago Chobe was forced to undergo an operation for a throat affection, and soon after the operation he lost the use of his vocal chords, so that today he must communicate with his associates by means of written messages. In spite of his illness, however, Chobe has thrown his energies into the attempt to give Glendale the finest and most striking float that this city has ever entered in the Rose Tournament.

Arrangements have been made to send Chobe to Pasadena on New Year's Day in the car of his physician, Dr. R. E. Chase, under a police escort, in order that he may look on his latest creation as it marches along the route of the parade. Dr. Chase only yielded to Chobe's insistence that he be allowed to go to Pasadena when he realized that the anxiety of waiting for the verdict of the judges might impose an even greater strain on him in his present weakened condition than the trip itself would do.

In the years during which he has been designing Glendale's tourney entries Chobe has brought to Glendale more honors than any other city has won at Pasadena and has created a number of floats that have won world-wide fame.

Ventura County Grand Jury for 1930 Sworn In

VENTURA, Dec. 30. — The Ventura grand jury for 1930 was sworn in this morning by Superior Judge Henderson.

A. Camarillo, prominent rancher of Camarillo, was named as foreman. Nineteen jurors comprise the new body. They are: A. Camarillo, Camarillo, rancher, foreman; John W. Waltington, Oxnard, real estate salesman; William C. Heck, Saticoy, country club manager; Alfred G. Brigham, Ventura, clothier; Frank E. Jones, Ventura, rancher; Mrs. Mildred Brigham, Simi, housewife; John J. Burke, Ojai, officer; John C. Gooding, Santa Paula, rancher; Earl W. Kitchen, Fillmore, clothier; Mark Craven, Rincon, rancher; Sol Sheridan, Ventura, author; F. W. Hertel, Ventura, geologist; John P. Munger, Santa Paula, gas station proprietor; Horace Smith, Saticoy, secretary Saticoy Development Company; George Hartman Ventura, hotel man; Harry E. Ripley, Oxnard, mill foreman; Mrs. Alice Sharp, Saticoy, housewife; Percy Dennis, Oxnard, packing company manager.

NEWPORT RESIDENTS TO SEE TOURNAMENT

NEWPORT BEACH, Dec. 30.—Many Newport Harbor residents are planning to attend either the Rose Parade or the U.S.C.-Pittsburgh football game or both at Pasadena New Year's Day. Among those likely to see the gridiron battle at the Rose Bowl are: Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Weber, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crosier, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Isbell, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Ray G. Burlingame, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Naylor, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woolley, R. L. Patterson and Harry Estus.

LEGION IN NEW HALL

BELL, Dec. 30.—The American Legion post of this city recently closed a lease on the Grand Building at 4058 Baker avenue, and held its first session in the new hall tonight, when plans were made for an active year during 1930. Dean Kirk, one of the prominent members of the post, was recently appointed as chairman of a committee to arrange for an appropriate display in the Rose Parade in Pasadena in the year 1931.

MASONS DEDICATE TEMPLE

Week of Activity Among Ventura Members of Craft to Culminate with Grand Lodge Ceremonies Friday

VENTURA, Dec. 30.—Culminating a week of exceptional activity for local members with an event of outstanding importance in Masonic circles, the dedication of the beautiful new $150,000 Masonic Temple on Friday night will bring Grand Lodge officers and other Masons from all parts of the State. Twenty Grand Lodge officers, men of civic as well as fraternal importance, will come to here to take part in the Masonic ritualistic dedication ceremony, parts of the program of which are made public today by D. J. Reese, Past Grand Master, who is in charge of arrangements. The program will open with the presentation of an eighteen-foot American flag by the San Buenaventura Lodge to the temple, with M. L. Brazil making the presentation. On behalf of the Temple Association, D. J. Reese will accept the gift.

Presentation of a grand piano to the temple by the Ventura Council of Royal and Select Masons will be made by Ernest Wakeford. Charles Petit, a director of the association, will make the acceptance speech.

Louis C. Drapeau, as president of the Masonic Temple Association, will present the completed temple to the stockholders. Past Master Merle J. Rogers will respond, accepting it on behalf of the stockholders. This will be followed by a formal request from the stockholders to Grand Master Charles M. Wollenberg of San Francisco to dedicate the building. With the ritualistic dedication of the Masonic lodge the ceremony will be completed.

Past Master Judge Benjamin F. Bledsoe will deliver the oration. Musical numbers will include vocal solos by Otto Ploetz of Glendale and songs by the choir of the Huntington Park lodge. George H. B. Wright of San Francisco, Grand Chaplain of the State, will deliver the benediction.

The Masonic calendar of events leading up to the grand climax on Friday evening opens with the meetings scheduled for Tuesday night, when the temple will be used for the first time for the installation of officers of the Ventura lodge. On Wednesday night the temple will be thrown open to the public with a reception. Thursday night the Potnesttia lodge will use the temple for the first time.

Friday morning Grand Master Charles M. Wollenberg will be in charge of the cornerstone ceremonies at the E. P. Foster School on the avenue. At noon Wollenberg and the grand officers will be the guests of local Masons at the Ojai Valley Country Club. During the afternoon they will be escorted about the county on a sightseeing tour.

Friday at 8 p.m. the grand officers will be the guests of the local officers at a dinner at Pierpont Inn. The dedication program will begin at 7:30 p.m.

MASONIC HONORS FOR FATHER AND SON

EL MONTE, Dec. 30.—John Weaver, newly elected Master of Lexington Lodge No. 104, F. and A. M., was installed in office at a double ceremony in which his son, Harvey Weaver, became Master Councilor of the De Molay Order of Alhambra at the Masonic Temple here tonight.

The double installation was open to the public and a large attendance was present. Masonic officers installed were: John Weaver, Worshipful Master; Robert G. Wolstencroft, Senior Warden; E. W. Wilkerson, Junior Warden; J. D. Clemenson, Treasurer; George P. Dobyns, Secretary. Appointive officers are: I. F. Baker, Chaplain; Carroll Brunger, Senior Deacon; Robert E. Tinker, Junior Deacon; Dr. C. R. Forbes, Marshal; Harvey B. Henry, Senior Steward; Dr. D. M. Dinsmoor, Junior Steward, and Alfred E. Drake, Tiler.

West Pointers Guests of City

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 30.—Maj.-Gen. William R. Smith, his staff; the illustrious Christian Cagle, captain of the Army's football squad, and the Cadets en route to West Point after the Stanford clash were the guests of San Bernardino for half an hour this afternoon. Maj.-Gen. Smith, the superintendent of West Point, addressed a crowd of 2000 persons at the railway station, as did Cagle and Coach "Biff" Jones, while the throngs cheered. Mayor John C. Ralphs, Jr., welcomed the Army guests to the city, and later R. H. Mack, general manager of the Twentieth National Orange Show, presented the guests with sixteen boxes of California's choicest oranges.

VALLEY PIONEER DIES

SAN FERNANDO, Dec. 30.—Funeral services were conducted for George Nelson Lawrence, 79 years of age, one of the oldest of San Fernando pioneers, who died at his home on Alexander street. Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery, Chatsworth. He is survived by his widow and three sons and a daughter.

AMERICAN SHOOTS MEXICAN

Two Men and Woman Being Sought in Connection With Attack on Picnic Grounds Owner and Wife

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 30.—Two men and a woman, Americans, are being sought by police today in connection with the fatal shooting of Francisco Guzman and the wounding of his wife in an argument Saturday night four miles south of Tia Juana. Mrs. Guzman rushed to her husband's assistance with a 3-months-old baby in her arms. The infant was brutally beaten and Mrs. Guzman was shot in the leg but managed to reach Tia Juana with her baby and report the death of her husband about an hour after the shooting.

Frank Lamadrid, special officer for the Automobile Club of Southern California, made an investigation of the affair, which is believed to have happened, in substance, as follows:

Guzman's picnic grounds across the road from his small ranch, known as Rancho Nayarit, was visited by the party of Americans Saturday afternoon. They had lunch and a keg of beer with them. When they prepared to leave, Guzman asked for 50 cents for the use of the grounds. One of the Americans resented this demand, the argument grew heated and finally resulted in the picnicker drawing his gun and shooting Guzman. His wife with baby in arms, rushed to the rescue and clung to her husband's slayer until she was herself shot in the leg. The infant was hurt cruelly in the melee.

The Americans then leaped into their car, described as a small green coupe with wire wheels, with Guzman's 8-year-old boy who witnessed the shooting and sped toward Tia Juana. The man who fired the fatal shots left his hat behind, according to Lamadrid. It has the initials "M. A. C." on the sweatband. This and the license number of the car 6P-28-54, taken by Guzman before he was killed, are clews being followed by police. The car is believed registered to a Los Angeles owner.

Club man Fined on Possession of Liquor Count

SANTA ANA, Dec. 30.—Homer G. Locke, wealthy Hollywood clubman, paid a $150 fine on a charge of possession of liquor, following discovery of a liquor cache containing 333 gallons of choice wine on Locke's 100-acre ranch at Atwood, where deputy sheriffs made a raid last night.

Locke denied that he had sold any of the wine to John Matouk, Atwood resident, who was arrested in a raid several nights ago and who is said to have told officers that he purchased his stock of liquor from Locke.

A canceled check, issued to Locke and found on Matouk, appeared to verify this claim. Locke, however, asserted that the check was for grape juice produced from the Locke vineyard. Locke told Deputy Sheriff Harry Carter, who summoned him to court, that he kept the wine at his ranch as part of his private stock and did not sell any of it. It was saving, some of it being three years old.

"I don't have to sell liquor and I wouldn't if I did need the money," he declared. Deputy Sheriffs Carter and Fred Humiston raided the Locke ranch and confiscated the wine.

Colton Youth Electrocuted on Power Line

COLTON, Dec. 30.—Coming in contact with wires carrying 35,000 volts of electricity, John Patrick Cole, 16 years of age, of Colton, was instantly killed late yesterday when he climbed a tower of the Southern Sierras Power Company at Grand Terrace to "scout" a hobo camp.

Cole, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Cole, 197 East O street, was playing with two companions, Reuben Waggoner and Frank Turner, south of Colton in the Santa Ana River bottom. He climbed the tower once to locate a hobo camp, without injury. On his second trip he successfully crawled through one line of wires and started for the top of the tower. He slipped against the high-power wires and fell to the wire below.

His companions ran for help and linemen rushed to the scene, lowering the body of the youth to his father, who had likewise been called. The grief-stricken father called an ambulance, but the boy had died instantly. He was the oldest son of a family of five children.

Youth Succumbs to His Injuries in Auto Mishap

SAN BERNADINO, Dec. 30.—Injured in an automobile accident north of Barstow on Friday morning, Howard King, 17 years of age, died in the County Hospital this morning. He received fractures of his left arm and leg and internal injuries.

King, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles King, north of Barstow, was driving a light automobile near his home when it crashed with a construction truck driven by W. M. Edwards, and owned by B. Miller, Los Angeles contractor, who has charge of the building of the new aqueduct in Barstow.

The injured youth was rushed to this city in a hearse, an ambulance being unavailable at the time. At the time of his admission at the hospital, physicians believed that he would recover, but he suffered a relapse late Saturday night and sank rapidly.

FUNERAL HELD FOR PIONEER RESIDENT

ONTARIO, Dec. 30.—Funeral services were conducted here today for John Charles Root, one of the first settlers of the original Ontario colony. Mr. Root died at the age of 73 years and six months, closing forty-three years' residence in the district.

When Mr. Root came to Ontario colony, Chaffey brothers, from Canada, were putting their colonization plan into effect and he became interested in raising oranges. He gained success as a citrus grower and several years ago retired from active work. He had been in ill health for several months.

He is survived by one brother, Robert C. Root of Stockton.

EGG BEATER CAUSES ODDEST OF MISHAPS

SAN FERNANDO, Dec. 30.—Among the odd Christmas holiday accidents reported to San Fernando police, Mrs. L. Widmier probably suffered the oddest. Friends had given her an automatic egg beater. When she started to use it in making a cake, an index finger caught in a part of the cogs of the device and it was almost severed. She was taken to the local hospital, where an effort is being made to save the finger.

HALF-DOZEN BRUSH FIRES BREAK OUT

Blazes Reported in Three Counties; Burning Debris by Ranchers Must Cease

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 30.—With extremely hazardous fire weather prevailing up and down the coast, a half-dozen grass and brush fires in three counties broke over this week-end, according to Assistant Forest Supervisor Frank Robinson.

None of the fires burned into the National Forest and all were quickly extinguished, he reported. One fire in this county near Ballard destroyed a barn and some $1500 worth of hay and grain.

As most of the fires were uncontrolled debris burning carried on by ranchers, the assistant forest supervisor issued a warning to abandon all brush fires and debris burning until after the winter rains.

Two of the fires were sighted by forest lookouts in Ventura county. One was on Sulphur Mountain and the other was near Moorepark. Little or no damage was done by either fire, according to word received here.

In addition to the Ballard fire, smoke from a county fire was sighted near Lompoc by the lookouts. This fire was from a debris fire which escaped control for a few hours.

Two fires occurred in San Luis Obispo county, one along the coast near Cambria and the other near La Panza. Both of these fires escaped control and burned over several hundred acres of grass and brush land before extinguished, it was reported.

FIVE BRUSH FIRES IN SAN DIEGO COUNTY IN WEEK-END

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 30.—Five brush fires in San Diego county kept fire wardens and crews busy over the week-end and blackened more than 9000 acres of timber and brush before four of the blazes were brought under control.

A fifth fire which yesterday afternoon charred several acres of undeveloped land in the vicinity of Bancroft Point, three miles southeast of La Mesa, still blazes early today and had swept over more than 1000 acres, but has caused no property damage, according to report by Luther C. Gordon of La Mesa, chief county fire warden.

The most serious of the fires which raged during the week-end was the one which threatened a live-oak grove near Fallbrook, forty miles north of San Diego. Several large oaks and more than 7000 acres of brush-covered land were swept by the flames before a crew of more than 100 succeeded in bringing the fire under control. The fire started at 6:45 a.m. Saturday near Rainbow, and was checked late yesterday about three miles southeast of Fallbrook, after it had advanced seven miles southward.

A fire yesterday east of Jamul blackened approximately 640 acres before being brought under control by a crew directed by Deputy Fire Wardens Austin Lott of La Mesa, George Swain of Jamul and Paul Harvey of Dulzura. Six acres near Valley Center were swept by flames at 3 a.m. yesterday and later in the morning a small acreage was blackened near Highland Acres, between Spring Valley and La Mesa. A crew today was battling the fire in the Bancroft Point region.

NEW ORDINANCE TO PROTECT SAN DIEGO FORESTS ENACTED

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 30.—An ordinance to protect the fast diminishing forest areas in San Diego county will be effective throughout the coming year, as a result of action by the County Board of Supervisors today.

County Fire Warden Luther Gordon, fresh from the scenes of a half-dozen week-end blazes in the back country, appeared before the board to advocate such an ordinance. The board responded readily with instructions to the District Attorney to prepare the form of the ordinance.

The old ordinance, effective during the ordinary dry season, will be displaced by the proposed new measure, which will prohibit smoking in woodlands during periods of fire hazard and will require special permits for burning of brush anywhere in the county.

PROPERTY OWNERS ORGANIZE

HUNTINGTON PARK, Dec. 30.—A new organization to be known as the Florence-avenue Assessment District Association has been formed here with U. S. Grant Hinton, president; A. B. Ashbaugh, vice-president; Harry W. Williams, secretary; Richard Schultz, treasurer; Dr. Ralph R. Barrett, M. A. Silva, Mrs. Joe Gilman, J. F. Watts and W. B. Mann, members of the advisory committee. The purpose of the organization is to carry a campaign against the proposed assessment district announced for the proposed Florence-avenue street improvements.

TOE PULLS LETHAL TRIGGER

Ventura Ranch Hand Reported to Have Committed Suicide by Unusual Contrivance

VENTURA, Dec. 30. Ed P. Fishbeck, workman on the Joe Petit ranch on the River Road near Bardsdale, was found dead Saturday night by Undersheriff Howard Durley and Deputy P. . . Ayala, who investigated the case and attributed death to suicide. The Sheriff's officers received the call from Coroner Oliver Reardon at about 5:15 o'clock Saturday evening, and upon arrival at the ranch found the man lying on the floor in a bedroom.

Suicide had been effected, Durley stated in his report, by a 4-40 caliber rifle, held in the left hand of the man, from the trigger of which a shoe string ran to his right big toe.

Two notes left by the dead man on the kitchen table intimated that he felt himself responsible for the mental condition of his wife, who is now in Patton State Hospital.

Big Guns Will Aid U.S.C. Band in Noise-Making

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—Flanked by small cannon drawn by Shetland ponies, the University of Southern California's 160-piece band, led by Director Harold W. Roberts, will head the Tournament of Roses parade Wednesday morning in spectacular manner. The cannon, painted with the U.S.C. gold and cardinal, will accompany the band's color guard in the parade, and will be fired at the flag-raising exercise before the Pittsburgh-U.S.C. game in the Rose Bowl, Roberts revealed today.

The Trojan Glee Club, marching behind the band, in a "T" formation, will sing "Happy New Year" and other appropriate songs along the parade route. Members of the band will be resplendent in their West Point-type white uniforms and cardinal plumed caps.

"Although I cannot divulge the details of the bleacher stunts U.S.C. will stage between halves at the game, I feel certain that the spectators will see something they will not forget for a long time," Roberts asserted. One of the flag-raising stunts, it was learned, will require several hundred red, white and blue toy balloons.

Policewoman of Pasadena Quits

PASADENA, Dec. 30. — Resignation of Mrs. Helen Berry Johnston, this city's first policewoman, effective tomorrow, was announced today by City Manager R. V. Orbison. Mrs. Johnston was suspended ten days ago by Chief of Police Charles H. Kelley, who charged her with unethical conduct in furthering the marriage of two young Mexicans at Tia Juana, and with taking orders from local club women rather than from her superiors.

A protest against the suspension from ten local women's club leaders is asserted to have resulted in a compromise under which Mrs. Johnston was reinstated and then allowed to resign instead of being dismissed.

Orbison and Chief Kelley declined to comment further on the case today.

Michigan Man Killed by Auto

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—Injured by an automobile late yesterday while he was on his way to view the mile of illuminated Christmas trees in Altadena, Charles H. Evans, 70 years of age, of 184 South Pasadena avenue, died this morning at the Pasadena Hospital.

Evans, who came here recently from Michigan, is reported to have been knocked down by a machine driven by Oscar Neiman of Los Angeles as he attempted to cross the street on North Los Robles avenue.

An inquest to determine the circumstances of the accident will be held tomorrow at 3:30 p.m. in the Reynolds & Salisbury mortuary, 41 North Garfield avenue. The body will be sent to Jackson, Mich., for burial.

ARCHITECTS ENGAGED TO PLAN NEW SCHOOL

NEWPORT BEACH, Dec. 30.—The new Board of Education of the Newport Harbor High School district has retained Marsh, Smith & Powell, architectural firm of Los Angeles, to draft the preliminary plans for the high school, it is proposed to have built and ready for occupancy by the fall term of school. The type of the architecture or the size of the buildings has not yet been decided upon, nor has the site been selected.

ANOTHER REASON FOR NEED OF RAIN GIVEN

SANTA PAULA, Dec. 30.—Another reason for rain has been found here. According to the provisions of the deal by which five local flyers purchased an airport site in the southwest section of this city, they were not to use it until the crops on the field were taken off.

There is a healthy carrot crop now maturing, and it will probably be another two or three weeks unless rain comes.

TWO BLAMED FOR FATALITY

Drivers of Both Cars Held Negligent at Inquest on Death of Los Angeles Man in Traffic Crash

MONTEREY PARK, Dec. 30.—A Coroner's jury today returned a verdict that drivers of both cars were negligent in the crash that caused the death of Dallas Delape, 31 years of age, of 404 North Coronado street, Los Angeles, early Christmas morning.

Delape died Thursday at the Garfield Hospital from injuries received in the crash when the machine in which he was riding, driven by Earl J. Daust, of 1632 Eleanor street, Hollywood, collided with a car driven by Fred L. Owen of Huntington Park, at Garvey avenue and Atlantic Boulevard. Daust has been held without bail in the County Jail since the accident.

Both Daust and Owen admitted at the inquest that their cars overran the four-way boulevard stop at the intersection. Daust said he had lost his way on an unfamiliar road and speeded up when he saw the other car approaching. Mrs. Henry Daust, mother of the driver, fainted when the verdict was returned.

Delape, who had previously been known as Lee Hughes, was identified by W. F. Schubert of the Los Angeles police, who stated that he had assumed the name of Hughes at the age of 16 when he entered the prize ring.

Representatives of the Sheriff's office declared after the inquest that it was improbable any prosecution would be instituted.

COLLECTOR EXHIBITS PICTURES

Fine Example of Artists' Work Shown at Hotel at Palm Springs

PALMS SPRINGS, Dec. 30.—Another fine collection of desert paintings has been temporarily added to the growing work of collectors, dealers and artists to foregather and exhibit their valuable canvases to the guests and visitors from all over the nation spending the winter season at Palm Springs.

This week at the desert inn there is an exhibition of some of the most famous desert painters' works. They have been gathered by Mr. Jules Klewits, dealer in fine arts, of Pasadena. Mr. Klevits is proprietor of a gallery in that city which has come to be known as the finest of the many fine galleries of art now established in the Southland.

A native of Holland, he first came to this country in 1916 and is related to a long line of artists in Europe. He is well known also as a writer and critic on subjects of fine art throughout the continent.

The works of John Frost, now visiting here with his family and contemplating staying to again paint in Palm Springs locality, are well known and form the major part of the present exhibit. Those of George R. Sherriff are also familiar to lovers of art and in this collection his work contains all that is subtle and mysterious in the color harmonies of the desert in its many moods.

There are a few canvases by Charles R. Williams and Julian Itter, also. This exhibit will unfortunately not remain longer than a week.

Sculptor Plans to Make Indian Relics to Order

OWENSMOUTH, Dec. 30.—Many unusual things, from Chinese incense to pipe organs, are being manufactured in San Fernando Valley, but Frank Knapp, Sr., sculptor, who resides here, believes the product he is making is the oddest of all.

Knapp has gained considerable reputation for his unusual carvings depicting early California life. He has been requested to make several dozen replicas of Indian mortars and pestles, and old Indian metates. The ancient grinding bowls will be duplicated in detail and then treated with acids to give them an antique look.

Some time ago Knapp carved a complete set of the missions of California from lava rock found in the hills of San Fernando Valley, and most of these miniatures have found their way into the gardens of exclusive homes in Beverly Hills and Hollywood. His latest work is a carving of mission padres and Indians.

Old Indian relics within recent years have been in demand as ornaments for Southern California gardens, and the genuine mortars and pestles have become so scarce that Knapp believes imitations with an antique look, which he plans to make under his first order, will gain wide favor.

County Loses in Highway Action

CUCAMONGA, Dec. 30.—Property owners along Arrow Highway in this district have won another victory over San Bernardino county following an unsuccessful condemnation suit launched some time ago by the county to gain wider territory for the highway. Superior Judge P. A. Leonard has ruled that the property owners need not pay attorney's fees growing out of the case.

Demand was made by the property owners for $100,000 for the land sought by the county through its condemnation proceedings. Believing this figure to be exorbitant, the county agreed to a motion from Attorney John A. Hadsell, representing the property owners, that the condemnation suits be dismissed.

The county then sought to have the property owners pay the fees of the court cases, amounting to $721. Attorney Hadsell presented the bill for services and Judge Leonard ruled the county must pay the bill under State laws governing condemnation suits. Dep. Dist.-Atty. James L. King next filed a motion to retax the costs on the grounds that the fees were excessive but this motion was fruitless.

Burglars Steal Dry Goods Cases

POMONA, Dec. 30.—Dry goods to the value of $1000 contained in eleven sample cases was taken in the third of a series of major burglaries during the past few weeks, police reported today. The cases containing the merchandise were taken from the garage of E. J. Hanley, 203 East Alvarado street, late Sunday night.

The loot consisted of men's underwear, hosiery, dress shirts, trousers, pajamas, flannel work shirts and neckties, according to Hanley, making up a full line of salesman's samples. Entrance to the garage was obtained by prying off the doors.

LEGION TO CELEBRATE LIFTING OF MORTGAGE

NEWPORT BEACH, Dec. 30.—Merry-makers from all over Orange county and other parts of California will answer the call of the American Legion post to ring out the old year and ring in the new at the Rendesvous New Year's Eve, and join with the local post in the burning of the mortgage on its building on Bay Front.

Gathering around a huge bonfire built on the beach the gay party will see Commander Whitten drop the mortgage into the flames.

This occasion promises to be the outstanding American Legion event of the entire season.

SIXTEEN IN NEW GIRL SCOUT BODY

RESEDA, Dec. 30.—A Reseda Girl Scout troop has been organized here under the sponsorship of the American Legion Auxiliary, with an enrollment of sixteen girls. Mrs. J. E. Denham is the leader, with Mrs. E. L. Radke as assistant. The members are Dorothy West, La Rue Albertson, Roberta Church, Eloise Bean, Joyce Church, Isla McLain, Theodora Van Gelderen, Elaine Schlatter, Bessie Byrd, Matilda Furst, Ruth Strickland, Patty Hinkey, Ruth Porter, Marjorie Backman, Lois Smith and Annabelle Teague.

Supposed Dead Man Startles by Coming to Life

GUASTI, Dec. 30.—An ambulance at his side, ready to take him to the morgue, Francisco Morales, Corona Mexican, startled Draper Company mortuary workers by groaning when they lifted his apparently lifeless body in a vineyard east of Guasti, near the Southern Pacific Railroad tracks today.

Deputy Sheriff D. W. Brown, notified that a murdered man had been found in the vineyard, called Draper's undertaking parlors to come for the victim. Morales had apparently been left for dead in the vineyard, with his throat cut and his body bearing numerous stabs and slashes. Instead of taking him to the morgue, the ambulance sped him to the County Hospital, where it was said he was in a dying condition.

Search has been launched for his attacker.

Ventura County Pioneer Expires

VENTURA, Dec. 30. — Guiseppe (Joe) Ramelli, well-known retired rancher and Ventura county pioneer, died suddenly from heart trouble Saturday night. Ramelli dropped dead on the sidewalk on East Main street. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 10 a.m. at Reardon's chapel.

Ramelli was born in Switzerland in 1857, and came to California as a youth a score of years later. Before coming to Ventura county in 1894, he was engaged in cattle ranching in San Luis Obispo county.

He leaves a widow, Mrs. Adelina Ramelli, and seven children, Henry, William Milton, Ida, Mattie, Catherine and Mae Ramelli, all of Ventura, and one sister, Mrs. Henry Gianotti of San Francisco.

LACK OF MATERIAL HALTS WORK IN PARK

REDLANDS, Dec. 30.—Stone fitters and laborers at work in the Green Theater stage in Library Park, being built and presented to the city by Mr. and Mrs. C. G. White, said today that they had not struck because their checks did not arrive Saturday as was reported. Because of a shortage of material they had gone to their homes in Los Angeles to spend the week-end, they said today on their return.

The stone has not arrived as per schedule and the stone workers were caught up with work so they went to their homes to spend a couple of days, S. E. Woodhull, in charge of the building work, stated.

The exterior of the building when finished will be art stone. Across the proscenium arch will be the words "Without vision a people perish."

LYMAN M. KING LAUDED BY CITY

His Own Home Town Gives Luncheon to Appointee

New State Finance Head Praised at Gathering

He Expresses Intention to Return When Duty Ends

REDLANDS, Dec. 30.—Lyman M. King, who has been recently appointed by Gov. Young director of finances of the State, succeeding Alexander Heron, who has resigned to go into business, was honored by more than 100 of his fellow citizens and friends at a luncheon given in his honor at the Hotel Casa Loma here today, at which time he was presented with a beautiful wrist watch as a token of their esteem. The principal speech was made by [illegible] Sweeny, director of the Redlands branch of the Security-First National Bank of Los Angeles, who spoke of the fine service that King had rendered his community and State.

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SENATE SERVICES

Dr. Sweeny then spoke of Mr. King entering politics, of his service in the State Senate and then of his being called to Governor Young's office, become the second man in the State, in charge of the work of the State Department of Finance. Bureau of Service and Budget. He said that the ability of King had attracted the attention of the governor and all State officials, so that it was only natural that he should turn to King when he decided to give up the work.

"We feel that Redlands has been honored as well as King in his appointment to this very important," said Dr. Sweeny. "We have no doubt of the efficient manner in which he will conduct the affairs of the corporation yard of the [illegible].

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The luncheon was [illegible] the Chamber of Commerce [illegible] president of the board, [illegible] Serfield, presided.

Motorist Runs Santa Fe Train in Fatal Crash

POMONA, Dec. 30.—[illegible] roadster into the side of a Santa Fe passenger train [illegible] here tonight, when he was [illegible] his auto to a quick stop, [illegible] Shields, 21 years of age, [illegible] North Elsinore [illegible] injured at 1:05 p.m. today [illegible] route to the Pomona County Hospital in a [illegible] ambulance.

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The body is being held at the [illegible] E. Brown mortuary, Coroner's inquest.

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Palmer was fined $250 and [illegible] $214. They were arrested by [illegible] county game warden [illegible] meat in Ruiz's possession.

CENTENARIAN WOMAN DIES

Mrs. Jane Elizabeth Meeker, Southland Pioneer Whose Home Was in Pasadena, Expires There

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—Pioneers throughout Southern California will mourn the death last night of Mrs. Jane Elizabeth Meeker, resident of this city for the last thirty-five years, who would have celebrated her 103rd birthday February 28, 1930. Funeral services for Mrs. Meeker will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. in Ives & Warren Company's mortuary Chapel, 100 North Hill avenue. Details of the arrangements are not complete.

Confined to her bed at her home, 409 North Raymond avenue, since her one hundredth birthday two years ago, Mrs. Meeker was visited by scores of her friends during her long illness.

When interviewed on the occasion of her one hundredth birthday, she ascribed her long life to "God's ordering of things and California sunshine." Mrs. Meeker was a member of the First Congregational Church.

In early days, her marriage [illegible] by two black horses and [illegible] an old negro servant, [illegible] sight on the city's streets.

Born in New York City on Spring street, near the old Niblo Gardens, she was the daughter of Amherst Wight, at one time the oldest practicing attorney in the city. Mrs. Meeker comes of a long-lived family, one of her aunts having passed the century mark.

She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Sumner W. [illegible], Mrs. Julia Meeker, all of Pasadena, two sons, S. M. Meeker of Ithaca, N. Y., and [illegible] City, N. Y., and [illegible] of Minneola, N. Y., [illegible] children and nine grandchildren.

At the time of her birth, John Quincy Adams was President of the United States and DeWitt Clinton was Governor of New York State.

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The local man evidently failed to note the approach of the train. Skid marks of his tires bear mute testimony to his futile attempt to avert the inevitable. His machine struck the train at the second car behind the engine, and man and machine were thrown twenty-five feet clear of the right of way.

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First Race 1:20 p.m.

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FAMILY JOINS SCREEN ACTOR

Star Buys Home Here for Parents

"Buddy" Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rogers

OLATHE, Kan., is no longer the home, although it is the birthplace of Charles "Buddy" Rogers, motion-picture star. Rogers's parents and younger brother arrived in Hollywood last night from the small Kansas town to make their home with the film player.

Bert Rogers, who recently sold the Olathe Mirror which he has owned and edited twenty-one years, arrived on the Santa Fe Chief last evening to be met by Mrs. Rogers and his two sons, Charles and Bh, youngest of the family and whose first name is formed from the initials of his father.

Mrs. Rogers and Bh motored to Los Angeles, leaving shortly after Christmas and getting into Hollywood a few hours before the train which carried Mr. Rogers.

The family went immediately from the train to the new Spanish home in Beverly Hills, which Charles has purchased and furnished as a New Year's gift to his family and where the four will live.

Charles has an older sister, Mrs. Jerry Binford, who lives in Indiana.

Bh, who is 20 years of age, will leave Hollywood shortly after New Year's Day to continue his studies at the University of Kansas where he is a freshman.

OIL ROW RULING DELAYED

Plea for Drilling in Mt. Washington Home Area Taken Under Advisement After Bitter Fight

The City Planning Committee of the City Council yesterday took under advisement the application of the Economic Development Corporation to prospect for oil in the Mt. Washington district after a hearing wherein indignant property owners protested the asserted invasion of their rights.

Councilman Webster, chairman of the committee, stated that a decision will be rendered within two weeks. In the meantime, he said, the committee will visit the site of the proposed drilling operations and will check the petitions, both for and against the proposition.

The applicant asks for a permit under Section 4 of the zoning ordinance, so as to engage in drilling in a community zoned for residential purposes. The application has been granted by the City Planning Commission, and yesterday's hearing was in the nature of a review.

Speaking for the property owners were W. L. Pollard, Mrs. Anna McIlvaine, J. W. Rosenthal, Dr. William P. Rice, C. P. Wellington and Joseph Minster. They protested that the inauguration of oil drilling will be a grievous detriment to the community.

Appearing in behalf of the application were I. W. Preston, president, and T. J. Kemp, attorney, for the development corporation. They contend that they are justified in husbanding their property rights.

A large crowd was wedged in the Council chamber, most of them apparently sympathizing with the property owners.

MIDNIGHT SERVICE PLANNED

Midnight services will be conducted tonight in St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Central avenue and Thirty-fourth street. Starting at 11 p.m., the final hour of the year is to be spent in prayer. Rev. Patrick Dolan, Holy Cross missionary of the University of Notre Dame, Indiana, will deliver a sermon, taking for his text "The Passing of Time." The hour will close with the solemn benediction of the blessed sacrament at midnight.

LIGHT COSTS APPROVED

The City Council yesterday confirmed the assessments for the installation of lighting appliances in Spaulding avenue from a point near Eleventh street to Pico Boulevard and also confirmed assessments for the improvement of an alley between Fifth and Sixth avenues south of Seventieth street.

Frank E. Elliott, Father of Grid Star, Succumbs

Frank E. Elliott, investigator of the District Attorney's office and father of Howard Elliott, former University of Southern California football star, died yesterday at the Sawtelle Soldiers' Home Hospital following a two weeks' illness.

Funeral services will be conducted from the chapel of the Delmer A. Smith mortuary, 731 West Washington street, next Thursday at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at the Sawtelle Soldiers' Home Cemetery.

Mr. Elliott, 80 years of age, came here seven years ago from his native State of Iowa. He was a veteran of the Spanish-American War.

Besides his son Howard, Mr. Elliott leaves at the family residence, 130 West Cypress street, Glendale, his widow, Augie B. Elliott; a daughter, Ester, and a second son, Darrel, also a former Trojan athlete.

EVERGREEN LOSS MAY BE CURBED

San Joaquin Valley Body Deplores Yule Cutting

Christmas Tree Forays in Forests Declared Menace

State-wide Support Sought to Save Watersheds

FRESNO, Dec. 30.—Steps toward seeking legislation to halt the promiscuous cutting of evergreens for Christmas trees which annually denudes the California forests of many thousand of young trees, will be initiated by the San Joaquin Valley Tourist and Travel Association, it was announced here today by William E. Metzger, secretary-manager of the association.

The association's campaign will be based upon the damage that is caused to the watersheds, and will include steps toward education of the public danger, Metzger said.

"We feel that if we don't do do something right away, the time will soon arrive when the disastrous effect of removing these young trees will be reflected in a diminished watershed," he said.

Immediate steps will be taken to have chambers of commerce and other civic and commercial organizations get behind the program in order to make it State-wide, and it will be presented at the annual meeting of the Tourist and Travel Association at Stockton next month for specific action.

In the same connection City Forester Peter M. Rasmussen protested the annual "destruction" of the young trees. The announcement of the Fire Prevention Bureau here that dealers must burn approximately 300 unused Christmas trees brought from Rasmussen the declaration that the indiscriminate cutting of the trees was an outrageous practice which should be immediately halted.

Rasmussen suggested the adoption of a law similar to those in existence in Europe, which requires that a tree must be planted for each one that is cut.

War Waged on Heedless Driver by Judge Davis

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 30.—Judge Robert Davis, Kern county justice of the peace, this morning began his one-man war on motorists charged with traffic violations on Golden State Highway, south of here. Two convictions in his court registered the limit of legal punishment and a verbal charge was handed down in both instances by the judge, who recently announced that drastic fines and jail sentences would be awarded motorists endangering lives of other motorists on the fog-dimmed highway.

Rafael Rocho, Buttonwillow, received thirty days in jail for stopping his machine on the highway Saturday night. The specific charge was "endangering lives and limbs of other motorists." Three persons were injured when an automobile in which they were riding crashed into Rocho's unlighted, stalled machine.

T. W. Hale, Los Angeles, was given the choice of ten days in jail or $50 fine following arrest on a charge of failing to heed a warning by Capt. Roy Gaylen's fog patrol officers located on the highway. Hale, warned not to travel in excess of twenty-five per hour, disregarded the warning and crashed into another car.

DEPUTY LEAVES TO BRING BACK SUSPECT

HANFORD, Dec. 30. (AP)—Deputy Sheriff Loren Dosenfield was en route to Roseburg, Or., today to bring back George Pankey for questioning in connection with the death of William Dean. Itinerant cotton picker, whose body was found the 3rd inst. in an irrigation ditch.

MRS. KIMBLE ILL

HANFORD, Dec. 30. — Mrs. Charles A. Kimble, wife of the president of the California Wool Growers' Association, is critically ill at the family home here. She is suffering with an infection and has been in a serious condition for about ten days. Her condition was unchanged today, the family physician announced.

ACTORS TO ATTEND RITES OF MRS. YEAMANS TITUS

The death of Lydia Yeamans Titus, which occurred Sunday night, quickens memories of a day long past when "Sally in Our Alley" was at the height of its popularity. It was Lydia Yeamans, then young and lovely, who made the song famous in England and America. Not only was it sung in the theaters, but before King Edward VII, who presented the singer with a gold bar pin showing the first notes of the song in diamonds.

MRS TITUS IN 1900

MRS TITUS IN FILM CHARACTER 1929

During the time she recently was receiving treatment at the Windsor Hospital following a paralytic stroke, Mrs. Titus recalled much of her past to A. W. Stockman, secretary of the Motion-Picture Relief Fund, who cared for her during her last days.

The gift from royalty was given by Mrs. Yeamans Titus to Mrs. Emma Brizzel who, in turn, will present it to Margaret Livingston, motion-picture star.

In 1900 Lydia Yeamans Titus was a headliner on the Keith Circuit. As a singer and musical comedy star she had a large following and on the occasion when the Elks Lodge of Buffalo, N. Y. conferred honorary membership upon Mme. Adelina Patti and Clara Morris, Miss Yeamans was included with them. Later the San Francisco Elks also made her an honorary member.

During the heyday of her prosperity Mrs. Yeamans Titus gave to the Actors' Fund $5000 for relief work. She was the daughter of Annie Yeamans, an Australian actress famous in Great Britain and America. She was the wife of Frederick J. Titus. During her later years she had appeared frequently with Reginald Denny and other motion-picture actors.

The funeral services, set for 2 o'clock Thursday, will be conducted from the chapel of Leroy Bagley, 5440 Hollywood Boulevard. Rev. Neal Dodd, priest of St. Mary of the Angels, will officiate, together with The Troupers, an association of old actors, many of whom were lifelong friends of Mrs. Yeamans Titus.

JURISTS OF NEW COURT AT FRESNO

Judges of Fourth District Appellate Body Arrive for Four Months' Session

FRESNO, Dec. 30.—Although the initial local session of the new Fourth District Court of Appeals is not scheduled to open until January 14, next, the personnel of the court arrived here yesterday for complete arrangements for the four months' session.

Presiding Justice W. A. Sloane of San Diego and Justice E. J. Marks of Santa Ana arrived with their families and were today engaged in preliminary preparations toward getting settled for the period during which the court headquarters will be in this city. Justice Charles R. Barnard has been here for several days, spending the holiday period with his family.

Approximately thirty cases are ready for the initial session of the court, Deputy Clerk R. M. Bostwick announced today, and there are many others which hav been transferred from the other courts.

It was announced that the court's calendar will be called at least once each month, and twice a month if the congestion is not too great.

JUDGE BRITTAN TO PRESIDE OVER SUPERIOR COURTS

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 30.—Judge E. F. Brittan of the Superior Court here will preside over the three departments during the year of 1930. Judge Brittan will succeed Judge R. B. Lambert, who, in turn, succeeded Judge Erwin W. Owen. The three judges take turn about in presiding.

Judge Lambert, who remains presiding judge until next month, will move over into Department No. One. Judge Brittan will move into Department No. Two and Judge Owen will remain in Department No. Three. Judge Owen, who has handled Juvenile Court cases here for years, will retain this work, as well as his other duties as judge.

RABBIT HUNT HAS TRAGIC CONCLUSION

Six-Year-Old Taft Boy Mortally Wounds With Rifle 9-Year-Old Lad

TAFT, Dec. 30.—A rabbit hunt had a tragic ending here when Robert Johnson, 9 year-old stepson of C. H. Taylor, South Taft resident, was mortally wounded by a rifle in the hands of a 6-year-old playmate, Roy Goldsmith. The wounded boy lived only a short while after being brought to a local hospital.

LEG AMPUTATION FAILS TO SAVE YOUNG MAN'S LIFE

HANFORD, Dec. 30. — Amputation of an infected leg several weeks ago failed to save the life of Frank Marquez, 21 years of age who died today at a local hospital.

He leaves his parents and several brothers and sisters. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery tomorrow following services at the Church of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The funeral will be directed by the People's undertaking parlors.

Moose Officials Toast Henning

Officials of a number of lodges of the Loyal Order of Moose gave a farewell luncheon yesterday at the City Club to E. J. Henning, who recently resigned as United States District judge, and is leaving Thursday for New York City, where he will enter the practice of law. There were thirty-two Moose officers at the luncheon, which was presided over by J. Edward Keating, a member of the Supreme Forum of the Loyal Order of Moose.

After the luncheon Judge Keating presented Judge Henning with an engrossed testimonial of appreciation from the Southern California Moose lodges. The latter responded stating that he was very sorry to leave Southern California but that his new work called him to New York, although he would continue his home address in San Diego, and he stated that his big life work has always been to promote the interests of the Loyal Order of Moose and its home school for dependent children at Mooseheart, Ill., and that he will continue the same interests and activities in behalf of the order as he has during the past ten years.

HELPFUL YOUTHS SHOW TEETH

Motorist Pushed Out of Hole In Snow and Then Relieved of Roll

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—The John P. McMillan automobile was stuck in the snow in front of the McMillan garage. The rear wheels spun around and around and got nowhere.

Along came four young men in an automobile. They expressed sorrow over Mr. McMillan's inability to get the car into the garage and offered to give him a push. This proved successful, and in a thrice the vehicle had been pushed into the garage.

One of the young men kindly closed the doors. The others fumbled around in their pockets and pulled out revolvers.

The push cost McMillan his bankroll of $35.

SCREEN STORY PAIR TO WED

Two of a Trade Can Agree, It Seems

Miss Billie Stout and Herbert Ashton, Jr.

MISS BILLIE STOUT, scenario writer, and Herbert Ashton, Jr., also a scenarist, yesterday filed their notice of intention to marry.

The couple attended school together in New York City eight years ago. Ashton, 27 years of age, lives at 5217 Hollywood Boulevard. Miss Stout, 24, will live there, too, after the wedding, which will occur at the end of the month.

The honeymoon will take place at the close of present engagements, it was stated.

ONTARIO LEGION POST AFTER NEW MEMBERS

ONTARIO, Dec. 30.—Hoping to gain national honors again for reaching the quota set by the American Legion, Ontario post officials were directing an intensive campaign for members today. The last chance to get the nation's citation passes with the present year, tomorrow at midnight. In past campaigns for members the local post has scored State and national triumphs, but the quota was set so high this year that the figure had not been reached today.

CHILD SUCCUMBS TO EXPLOSION BURNS

FRESNO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Burns received when a gas heater exploded igniting her clothing proved fatal this afternoon to Phyllis Mae Anderson, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Anderson. The little girl was burned about the face, chest and abdomen on Sunday afternoon, and was treated at the General Hospital for first, second and third-degree burns.

ANTHONY J. MANNING SOUGHT BY PARENTS

An appeal has been made to The Times to assist in locating Anthony John Manning, 16 years of age, who left his home in Baltimore three years ago. His parents in Baltimore last week received a letter postmarked Los Angeles, and ask that an effort be made to locate him here. When he left home Anthony, then 13, was four feet six inches in height and weighed 110 pounds. He has a fair complexion, light brown hair and blue eyes. The anxiety caused by his disappearance has brought his mother to the verge of a breakdown.

LOCAL GIRL TO WED IN EAST SATURDAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (Exclusive) Miss Evelyn A. Jonah, 23 years of age, daughter of Nelson and Mary Alexander Jonah of Los Angeles, where she was born, and John Laurence Ribbe, 23, a stock broker's clerk of 480 East Eighteenth street, Paterson, N. J., obtained a license to wed here today. The couple said they will be married here January 4 in the Little Church 'Round the Corner.

Last Services Conducted for E. C. Bellows

Beneath the branches of a gigantic palm tree in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Edward C. Bellows, banker and former United States Consul-General to Japan, was laid to his last rest yesterday. Last rites were conducted at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Reed Brothers, Tapley & Geiger, 721 West Washington street.

Mr. Bellows, who was 73 years of age, served as Consul-General to Japan under Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt. He also had served as a California State Corporation Commissioner and as a member of the Washington State Legislature. Death came Saturday morning at the family residence, 1422 South Gramercy Place, following a long illness. He leaves his widow, a brother and a nephew.

BULK OF BELLOWS'S RICHES DUE TWO OF KIN

SPENCER (Iowa) Dec. 30. (AP)—Lester B. Bellows, a farmer living near here, and Veretta Crosby of Toledo, Wash, nephew and niece of E. C. Bellows, who died in Los Angeles recently, are expected eventually to receive the major portion of his $1,000,000 estate.

The two relatives were chosen by Gen. Bellows from among twenty-six relatives to receive his money after the possible heirs had visited the Bellows home in Los Angeles in 1928. Gen. Bellows paid all expenses of the visits.

The nephew was given $100,000 and an annuity of $2300 for the rest of his life by Gen. Bellows at that time. The $30,000 fund, which provides the annuity, is to go to Lester Bellows's seven children at his death. Lester Bellows was told by the late Consul-General to Japan that he would receive half the estate at the death of Mrs. Bellows, who survived the general.

Lester Bellows is the son of W. E. Bellows of Carrol, Neb., brother of the general.

Promises and gifts, similar to those made by Lester Bellows, were given to Miss Crosby.

EARLIEST OF PIONEERS DIES AT SAN FERNANDO

SAN FERNANDO, Dec. 30.—Antonio Caballero, 94 years of age, who died here at his home on Porter avenue, with the infirmities of old age, was born in the State of Sonora, Mex. He came to Southern California when a child and had resided in various towns since then. At the time of his death he was living with a daughter, Mrs. J. C. Silvas. Among his survivors are numerous great-grandchildren and their children. Funeral services were delayed for word of arrival of relatives at San Diego and Prescott.

REFERENDUM ELECTION

SOUTH GATE, Dec. 30.—The first election to be held during the new year will probably be the latter part of January, when the voters of the city will decide whether or not they are favorable to the construction of towers and stringing of a high-tension line through this city by the Los Angeles Bureau of Power and Light. A referendum election petition was recently circulated for the purpose of presenting to the City Council a call for a special election, and City Clerk Herbert Pfaffer announces that the checking of the signatures shows 765 valid names, more than sufficient to call the election.

ARKANSANS WILL PICNIC

Former residents of Northwestern Arkansas will hold a picnic on January 12, next, at the Forrest Beach Home, Zuma Beach, on the Roosevelt Highway, twenty miles north of Santa Monica.

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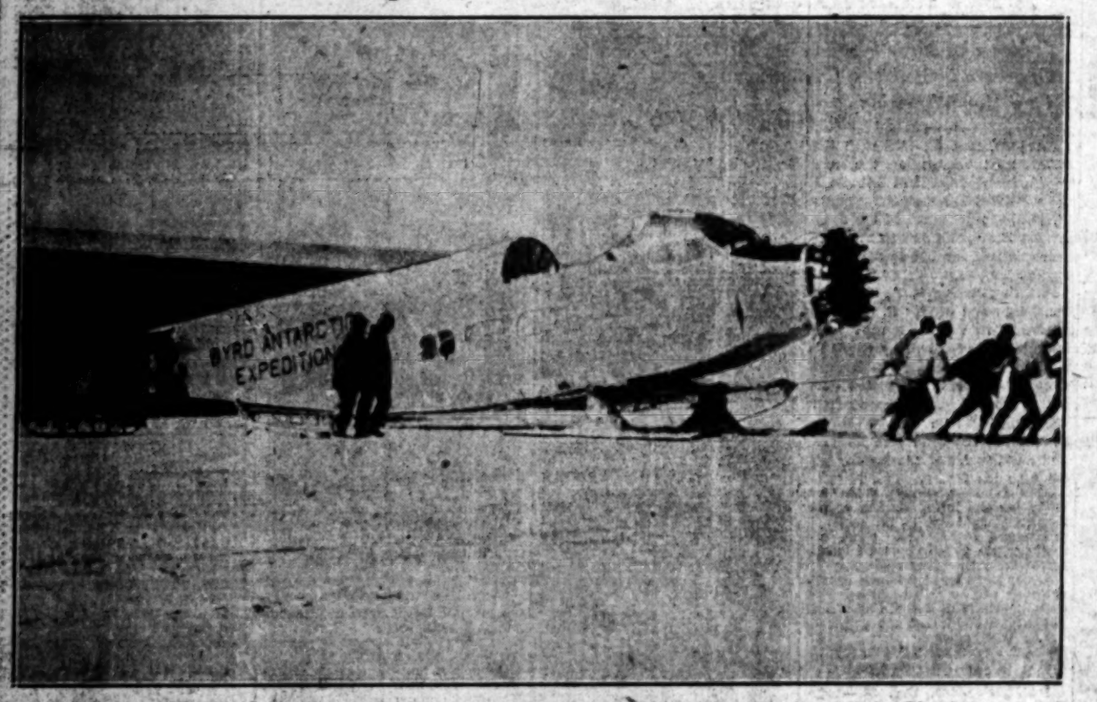
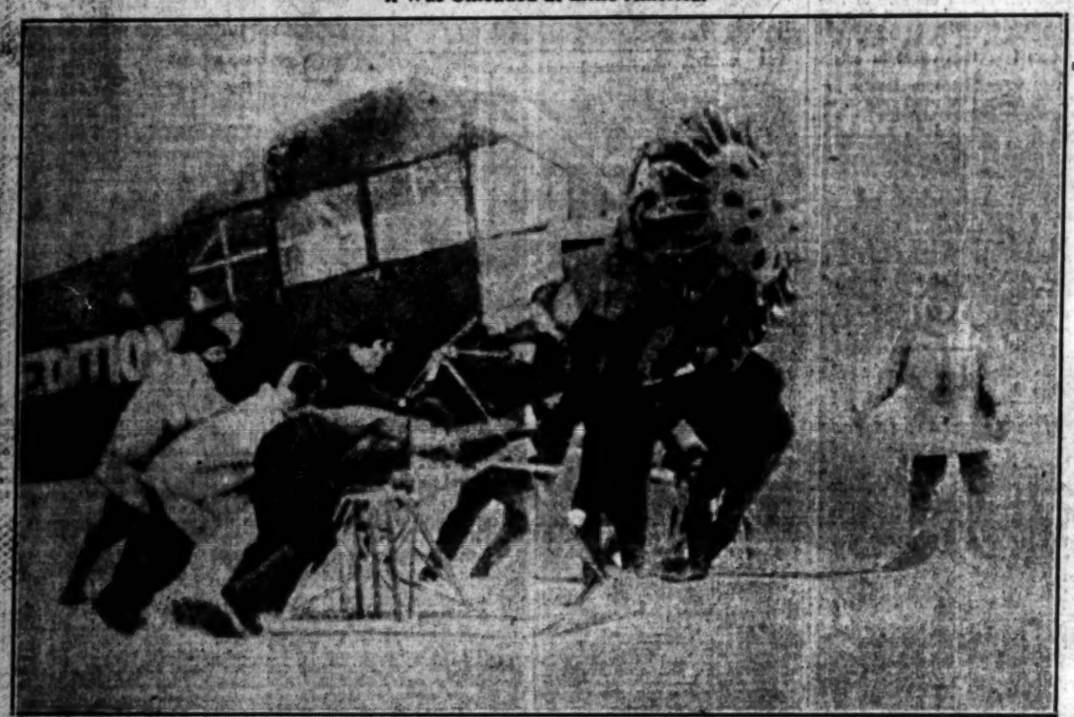


The Only Plane Which Has Ever Flown Over the Bottom of the World—The Fuselage of the Floyd Bennett as it Was Unloaded at Little America.

Christopher Bradthen, Harold June, Admiral Byrd and Bernt Balchen Watch a Trial Flight. The Last Two Named Were in Plane on Historic Flight.



Members of the Byrd Expedition Getting Out One of the Planes Used in Exploration Work. Balchen, the Pilot, is Figure in Front of Engine.

Capt. Alton Parker in a Fairchild Plane Made the First Flight Over the Antarctic Wastes After Establishment of Headquarters at Little America.

Short Exploration Flights Were Made in the Fairchild Before Admiral Byrd and His Companions Undertook the Flight to the Bottom of the World.

Capt. Alton Parker, Admiral Byrd and Pilot Dean Smith Confer on the Advisability of Making a Flight from Winter Headquarters.

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Admiral Byrd Emerging from Plane in Which a Preliminary Flight Was Made.

HIGH LIGHTS OF HISTORY 1538

The Story of the World War
308—The Capture of Blanc Mont.

by J. CARROLL MANSFIELD

OCTOBER 3, 1918, THE 2ND AMERICAN DIVISION (COMPOSED OF MARINES AND REGULAR INFANTRY), ASSIGNED TO GOURAUD'S 4TH FRENCH ARMY, ADVANCED TO STORM THE STRONG ENEMY POSITION ON BLANC MONT, NORTH OF SOMME PY.
AFTER THREE DAYS OF SAVAGE FIGHTING, THE AMERICANS HAD TAKEN BLANC MONT AT THE POINT OF THE BAYONET AND DRIVEN THE GERMANS BACK ABOUT THREE MILES. THE FRENCH FOUND IT DIFFICULT TO MAINTAIN THE PACE SET BY OUR TROOPS.
WITH THE FALL OF BLANC MONT, ITS KEY POSITION, THE GERMAN LINE BETWEEN RHEIMS AND THE AISNE FELL BACK RAPIDLY. THE FRENCH PURSUED THE ENEMY, TAKING MANY PRISONERS AND GUNS.
MEANWHILE, EAST OF THE ARGONNE AND IN THE FOREST ITSELF THE AMERICANS WERE FORCING STEADILY AHEAD, CAPTURING ONE INTERMEDIATE POSITION AFTER ANOTHER THAT LAY BEFORE THE GREAT HINDENBURG "STELLUNG" (LINE).
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Do Away With Point Try

Elected Head of Association

BRIAN BELL
Times Sports Writer
Dec. 30. (AP)—Foot- meeting in annual today, decided by a de- cisive vote that the rules of the game should be left as they are. The question came before the convention on a report of the rules committee of the Coaches' Associ a t i o n, h e a d e d by Glenn Thistlethwaite, Univer- sity of Wiscon- sin, r e c o m- mending three changes in the code, the most being the proposed of the point after touch-

Thistlethwaite pre- report and spoke vig- the abolition of the ex- On motion of R. W. P. Brown University, who sug- in view of the recodifi- the rules, now practical- no changes should be the rules, the proposals overwhelmingly defeated. The was by upraised hands and vote announced, but the stood about four or five to

RICK ALEXANDER
A. Alexander, Georgia elected president of the succeeding Hugo Bezdek, J. F. Meehan, New University, was made vice- and Clarence W. Spears, of Minnesota, second W. H. Cowell, Uni- of New Hampshire, is the secretary and treasurer.

named to sit as an ad- committee with the football committee are: Robert C. Illinois; Glenn Warner, J. R. Sutherland, Pitts-

report of the rules com- of the Coaches' Associa- launched an array of facts against the extra after touchdown. Search- records for the 1928 sea- showed the committee that of seven plays was to score each point during the season and out of proportion to play yield one point touchdown.

other changes proposed penalties so that if two called on the same play and the other minor, the ball reverting to its

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OLYMPIC CHANGES LOOM

A.A.U. and N.C.A.A. Factions Get Together and Propose Revision of Constitution

BY ALAN J. GOULD
Associated Press Sports Editor
YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—The complicated and in some respects machinery of the American Olympic Association is due for an apparently by the mutual consent and agreement of the that have waged more than one spirited war over its control

steps designed to bring in advance of the 1932 at Los Angeles, were taken to- day at a con- ference called to consider changes in the constitution of the association.

A long series of recommenda- tions for altera- tion of the asso- ciation's struc- ture was out- lined in a joint st a t e m e n t signed by Avery Brundage of Chicago, nation- al president of Athletic Union, and Palmer E. Pierce of president of the Na- Collegiate Athletic Associa-

years ago, Gen. Pierce, with the all'ed forces of the National Amateur Athletic Fed- eration and Western Conference, led an unsuccessful fight to wrest control of the Olympic Association from the A.A.U. The defeated forces withdrew at the time from the association as a protest. Peace subsequently was brought about and today's sessions marked a step toward effecting a compromise of rival interests.

Two of the most important pro- posals developed by the conference were, first, that a permanent stand- ing committee of the American Olympic Association be established, with adequate representation from the colleges, to have charge of the raising and handling of funds for American Olympic participation, and, second, that this finance com- mittee not only complete its work at least a year before the American team is selected, but that it also give consideration to the possibility of raising a capital sum of $2,000,-

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UTAH CAGERS WIN OVER BRUIN QUINTET, 52 TO 44

BY BOB RAY
there are some teams that Utah U.niversity's basket- ation 14 points, but Mr. Wooden's U.C.L.A. Bruins can't They found that out at Auditorium last night invading Indian quintet just as strong as did the the second half and won and final game of the se- for it.

the Bruin coach was to see for himself athletes acted when behind, or maybe he was just making sure that they'd get beaten so they wouldn't have too good an opinion of themselves, but the result will still go down in the books as a win for the Indians, who had dropped the two previous tussles to the Westwood cagers by 10-point margins.

Works started the Bruin second team and the Indians set right to work at gathering enough points to win the old ball game. With Dow. Cox and Smith doing most of the

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Wrigley Will Arrive Today

William Wrigley, Jr., the well-known baseball magnate et cetera, arrives in South- ern California today and Angel fans are hoping he'll bring some good news for the Los Angeles club in the shape of ball players to be turned over by the Chicago Cubs. Wrigley will arrive this morn- ing, and is expected to jour- ney out to Wrigley Field for a conference with the Angel bosses. The millionaire base- ball enthusiast wants to start the new year right in South- ern California sunshine in- stead of amidst the wintry blasts at Chicago.

HARTNETT GETS ARM IN SHAPE

Gabby's Famous Throwing Wing Regains Its Vigor After Treatment

BY PAUL MICKELSON
Associated Press Sports Writer
CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Leo (Gabby) Hartnett zipped a baseball over an imaginary second base 200 times within thirty minutes today and they pronounced his $18,000 salary wing, which kept him out of the Cub line-up all last season because of sore- ness, in perfect condition once more.

"GABBY" HARTNETT.

Dr. L o u i s Eastman, who has been at- tending the big- peppery C u b catcher during the long medical ordeal, added his professional opinion that Hartnett was fit and ready to don the mask and take his turn behind the plate.

It was joyful news for the Cubs, who figure Hartnett's re- turn is all they need to make another victorious drive for the National League pennant in 1930. With "Gabby" changing with the veteran Zach Taylor, the Cubs believe they will have the strongest backstop combina- tion in the Heydler circuit.

"There are no doubts whatsoever but that Hartnett's arm is in per- fect condition now," Dr. Eastman said. "He is ready to go and, un- less I miss my forecast, he will be better than ever."

Hartnett, a six-foot-one-inch husky weighing 190 pounds, had a great season in 1928 and was her- alded as one of the best catchers of baseball. In that year, he batted

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THE PANTHERS IN PERSON

Here are Pitt's all-Americans as they appeared at the Rose Bowl yesterday afternoon. From left to right—Montgomery, guard; Donchess, end; Parkinson, fullback, and Uansa, halfback. Middle photo shows Collins, right end, and Donchess again. The two gentlemen smiling so broadly below are Pop Warner, left, and Jock Sutherland, Pitt coach. Sutherland played guard for Pop at Pitt in 1916. Maybe both are smiling over old times together or perhaps they are just naturally cheerful over what they each expect the Panthers are going to do to Southern California at the Rose Bowl tomorrow. (Photos by Paul Strite, Times staff photographer)

BRUNDAGE SEES SPORT UTOPIA

Predicts Stupendous Era of Amateur Athletics

BY TED VOSBURGH
Associated Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Speak- ing at a general discussion of col- lege and school athletics as de- scribed by the Carnegie Foundation's famous "Bulletin 23," Avery Brun- dage of Chicago, president of the Amateur Athletic Union, today pre- dicted "an era of amateur athletics that will far surpass what we al- ready have."

Agreeing that abuses exist, Brun-

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HANLON'S TERM EXPIRES BUT HE MAY BE RENAMED

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—The term of William H. Hanlon, chair- man of the State Athletic Commis- sion, expires tomorrow but Gov. C. C. Young will not move at once to reappoint him or to name someone else, if such a thing is planned.

It became known today fol- lowing a conference between the Governor and Hanlon at the Capitol, that Mr. Young desires to let the boxing commission vacancy ride for a while. In the end it is predicted in Capitol circles that Hanlon will be re- named.

While members of the boxing commission are appointed for a defi- nite term, the Governor has been advised by the Attorney-General that Hanlon legally can serve until his successor is appointed.

Gov. Young will leave here to- morrow night for Los Angeles to

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JACK SHARKEY REFUSES TO BOX TUFFY GRIFFITHS

BY JACK FARRELL
NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (Exclusive) The only important developments along cauliflower row today were:

(1.) Jack Sharkey will not fight Tuffy Griffith in Miami February 27, next. One reason is, that Jack thinks Tuffy is too small. He would much prefer taking a sock at a big guy like Victorio Campolo or Primo Carnera. He does not think a fight with Griffith would draw well enough.

(2.) Brig.-Gen. John Phelan will succeed George E. Brower as a member of the New York State Athletic Commission. Brower to- day was appointed by Gov. Roose- velt to succeed Charles J. Dodd, as District Attorney in Kings county. He probably will resign from the commission tomorrow.

The news that Sharkey will not receive a guarantee from the Garden for the Miami bout is a bit startling. It was the

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PANTHERS GO THROUGH PACES AT ROSE BOWL

Wet Weather Won't Change S.C. Line-up

BY BRAVEN DYER
Returning to Bovard Field after two nights and two days spent at the Vista Del Arroyo in Pasadena, the Trojans of Southern Cali- fornia r a n through a spir- ited two - hour workout under the critical su- pervision of Howard Jones yesterday after- noon.

BOB HALL

Although newspaper men were permitted only a few fleet- ing glances at t h e Trojans, they were enough to con- vince most of us that Jones's team is right, both physically and men- tally. The boys showed plenty of dash and if they play as they are capable of playing the West will be proud of them tomorrow afternoon.

Asked what effect wet weather—if it comes—will have on his start- ing line-up, Jones replied:

"It probably won't make any difference, although I might de- cide to start Bob Hall at tackle in place of Cecil Hoff. In fact, I may start Hall regardless of the weather."

SHAVER AT FULL

Although he would undoubtedly gain more power by using Jim Mu- sick at fullback in place of Gaius Shaver, who is destined to start, Jones said he felt that he could not afford to jeopardise his kicking game, particularly if the ball is wet and heavy, by leaving Shaver on the bench. Gaius is far and away the best punter of the lot, with Marshall Duffield a close second. Of course, when Duffield goes in at quarter, Musick will relieve Shaver at full.

Practically the entire workout was spent running through Tro- jan formations, there being lit- tle or no defensive drill. The Trojans have the staff to win if they play up to their best stand- ard. All the defense in the world is generally of no avail unless you have some offensive punch. That's Jones's line of reasoning and so far it has brought him a large percentage of victories.

The Trojan mentor stated his starting line-up will include Tap- paan and Arbelbide as ends, An- thony and either Hoff or Hall as tackles, Capt. Barragar and Gallo- way at the guard positions, Dye at center, with Edelson and Pinckert in the backfield with Saunders and Shaver. All but Arbelbide, Hall,

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Cloudy Skies to Liking of Pitt Mentor

BY PAUL LOWRY
The heavy tramp of Pittsburgh's undefeated football team shook the sod at the Rose Bowl yesterday aft- ernoon as over- cast skies gave a hint of possi- ble rain for the N e w Year's Day classic.

CAPT. ALBERT DI MEOLO

It was the first workout of t h e eastern e l e v e n on Southern Cali- fornia soil, and it will have only one more—this afternoon — be- fore it meets the Trojans in t h e annual East-West grid- iron clash tomorrow afternoon.

The Panthers arrived here early yesterday morning, checked in at the Hotel Huntington, and were taken to the scene of their afternoon's workout about 2:30.

For fifteen or twenty minutes Coach John Bain (Jock) Sutherland gave the natives an eyeful of his trim athletes, permitted the photog- raphers to "shoot" some pictures and then shooed everybody out of the park.

POP STAYS IN

Everybody but old Pop Warner, Stanford coach, who remained for the secret and exclusive practice.

Some of the eastern sports writers suggested that perhaps this wasn't exactly clubby of Warner, who as coach of a western team might be accused of tipping the Trojans' mitt to Sutherland.

However, Warner seems to be torn between two fires in such a situa- tion. He coached Sutherland at Pittsburgh, and for the past six years has been coach at Stanford.

Will he aid his old pupil — the present Pitt coach—or will he stand by and let Sutherland work out his own salvation while he (Warner) pulls for the West?

In view of the fact that Warner already has picked Pitt to beat Southern California perhaps the ticket can be written without fur- ther ado.

At any rate Pop was one of the official greeters when Pittsburgh players and Sutherland hit Pasade- na yesterday morning.

The Panthers looked like a quiet, determined lot in their short work- out for the benefit of the populace, but they appear to be an older team than the Trojans.

Capt. DiMeolo, guard, and Daugh- erty, center, are the lightest of the men from tackle to tackle, and are anything but big forwards.

Tully and McMurdo are big stars

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GREAT PLAYERS TO SHOW HERE

Argentine Mallet Swingers Are Due Soon

Laddie Sanford's Hurricanes to Strut Stuff

English Stars Will Perform in Mallet Tourney

BY FRANK ROCHE

Midwick Country Club polo officials through Carleton Burke announced yesterday that the Pacific Coast open polo championships will be staged on the Purple club's field from the 26th of January to February 9 with the pick of the world's international players competing in the tournament. Besides a crack twenty-four goal squad representing Argentina, Laddie Sanford, an international polo figure, will start his Hurricane four, England will be in the running with a team called Pebble Beach, along with the San Carlos Cardinals, among which are numbered several of the East's greatest stars, and a strong Midwick Country Club team headed by none other than Eric Pedley the West's leading player.

Among the polo greats who will show their mallet tricks here are: For Argentina—Alfredo Harrington, Juan Reynal, Jose Reynal, Manuel Andrada—the brothers—and Carlos Uranga. For Pebble Beach—W. W. Crocker, Arthur Perkins, Capt. Selby McCreery and Capt. Walford. For San Carlos Cardinals—George Gordon Moore, E. A. S. Hopping, Capt. Forrester and Alden Roark. For the Hurricanes—Stephen (Laddie) Sanford Gerald Balding, Lindsey Howard and possibly Louis Stoddard. For Midwick—Eric Pedley, Elmer Boeseke, Neil McCarthy and Carleton Burke. If you can beat that polo lineup for a midwinter series you are going some.

With the exception of Tommy Hitchcock, who is busy in the East awaiting the arrival of the stork, Winston Guest and a few others, the best of the eastern stars will compete this winter at Midwick.

Gerald Balding, who will play with the Hurricanes, is due here with his ponies within two weeks. He is a six-goal man and the player that replaced Malcolm Stevenson in the international series between the United States and Argentina in 1928. Hitchcock, captain of the four, moved to No. 3, and Balding went to No. 2 and the series with the result that the Yanks won the championship.

The Argentine players are scheduled to arrive here on January 20. Their ponies are already stabled at Midwick, where they are being conditioned for the coming open championship play. The Argentine players have fifty-three mounts ready for the tournament. Their grooms, a colorful group, wearing the sashes, knives and balloon pantins of the gauchos can be found any afternoon around the Midwick fields.

Two high-goal teams will play next Sunday at Midwick in a preliminary polo skirmish it was announced yesterday.

JACK SHARKEY SNUBS "TUFFY"

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general belief that he was down for a guarantee of $100,000 every time he fought for the Garden.

It was revealed that he did not get that amount as reported last February for fighting Willie Stribling in Florida or for knocking out Tommy Loughran at the Yankee Stadium last summer. He was so anxious for a chance at Loughran that to get it he agreed to work on a percentage basis in Florida.

Sharkey's managers point out, or at least are trying to, that Griffith would not draw $400,000 in Miami and that the receipts would have to reach that figure before they could get their 25 per cent into $100,000.

The Sharkey men cite the fact that Griffith drew only $50,000 with Paulino Uzcudun in Chicago and but $60,000 with Risko in New York. They further contend that the substitution of either Campolo or Carnera would give the Miami event an international flavor, which always is a gate stimulant.

ARROWHEAD HOCKEY TEAM COPS GAME

The Arrowhead Valley amateur ice-hockey team defeated the Van Fleet-Durkee puck squad in a one-sided game last night at the Palais De Glace rink by a score of 8 to 2. The victors as a result of their win loom as favorites to nab the honors in the second half of the season. Clark and Patrick starred for the triumphant squad. A good turnout watched the fracas.

ROYAL GIANTS WIN

SAN LUIS	AB	R	H	O	A	ROYAL GIANTS	AB	R	H	O	A
Cantin,c	2	1	4	0		Green,lf	4	1	2	0	
M'and'a,1b	3	0	1	2		Allen,2b	5	3	1	2	
Perez,2b	4	1	0	4		Holway,cf	4	0	3	0	
M'tacilla,ss	4	1	1	1		L'aston,rf	2	0	1	0	
Monti,3b	3	0	1	0		Joseph,3b	3	1	0	1	
Delgado,cf	3	1	2	0		Mac'ye,c	4	2	2	8	
Byrnes,lf	4	0	0	1		Riddle,ss	3	0	2	4	
Vinas,rf	4	2	0	0		Brewer,1b	4	2	9	0	
Ortiz,p	3	2	0	6		Taylor,p	3	3	1	4	
Shaw,p	1	0	0	0							
Totals	30	8	24	14		Totals	31	11	27	12	

SCORE BY INNINGS

San Luis	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	—3
Base hits	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	—8
Royal Giants	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	x	—5
Base hits	1	4	1	0	2	0	1	2	x	—11

SUMMARY

Struck out—By Ortiz, 4; Taylor, 4. Bases on balls—Off Ortiz, 4; Taylor, 4. Stolen bases—Allen, Livingston. Home run—Vinas. Three-base hits—Vinas, Brewer. Two-base hits—Mackey, Green, Delado. Sacrifice hits—Green, Riddle. Errors—Santaella, Cantin. Double plays—Taylor to Riddle to Brewer; Miranda to Santaella; Riddle to Brewer. Time of game—1h. 55m. Umpires—Anderson and Moore.

FRANCIS TAPPAAN - - - - - - - by Salvador Baguez

ALL-AMERICAN

"Tap" has been a regular wingman for the past three year on Trojan varsities and this year has attained the distinction he has so long merited, by being selected on several all-American teams.

INSPIRES MATES

The spectacular wingman's great play at left end, both on defense and offense, inspires the entire squad to great deeds. It was Tappaan who caught a pass from Marsh Duffield that beat Stanford, 7 to 0.

RABBIT PUNCHES

by PAUL LOWRY

B FORMATION AGAIN

TEACHER mastered pupil when Pop Warner's Stanford boys nosed out Jock Sutherland's Pittsburgh eleven two years ago. Now it's a question of Howard Jones's boys, who have had Stanford's number for two years, mastering a team which uses the same Warner formations they have checked rather successfully in the past.

Pittsburgh is using the identical B formation with which Warner started the season in 1928, but which he discarded this year for the more-easily executed A formation.

Using B formation Warner's team was beaten 16 to 0 last year after making monkeys of the Trojans for the first few minutes, advancing to the goal line three time in first half, only to lose the ball by some queer mixup.

Warner used B most of last year because he had a team of powerful, experienced players, and if we are to believe what Pop writes in his own book for football coaches that is why Mr. Jock Sutherland employs it with Pittsburgh this year.

Pop says the B formation is better than A for playing lateral passes, and is especially good for forward pass plays. It forces the defensive team to assume a somewhat more scattered defense than they would accept against Formation A, "and makes it advisable for them to play their safety man farther back because of the possibility of a quick punt at any time."

And here's more of Pop's lowdown on B formation, indicating the Job Southern California has on hand tomorrow:

"It is not as good as Formation A for power and close work and is not recommended for any except the most experienced teams because it is too complicated and requires too much double passing to be practical for schools and the smaller colleges."

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VERSATILE FOOTBALL DOMES

WHEN you recall that six of the men with the present Pitt team saw some service against Stanford two years ago, and that Uansa, Montgomery, Donchess and Parkinson, the all-Americans, are four of them it is easy to understand why Pitt can use B formation.

The men are all experienced and versatile, and if they start breaking Uansa out into the open against the Trojans tomorrow as they have in other games this year most anything is likely to happen in the way of a score.

However, the Trojans can take heart in what their old rivals at Stanford did to "Onward Christian" Cadets and cohorts of the Army.

Cagle was just out on the field and that was about all. He was hit pretty hard early in the game, once by Smalling on Army's only line smashing march to the goal line and again in stopping Prentrup.

His arm appeared to be injured, which may explain why Caglieri was able to run smack into the Army captain's arms in the final period and right out again for an added eight yards. However, Cagle stuck it out to the bitter end, and played the whole game without a substitute going in for him.

But as an all-American he was not—Saturday. Ed Hughes, the little man who writes the big stuff for the San Francisco Chronicle, went to New York with the Stanford team last year, and saw Cagle play real football in spite of Army's 26-to-0 defeat.

He says Cagle put on a real show back there, carried the ball a lot and was always a spectacular threat with his dashes back of the line on which he turned and threw passes down the field. He did this only once Saturday, racing back 22 yards with Neill in hot pursuit before he got the ball away.

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A STAR QUARTET

HOWEVER, the Trojans have four all-Americans to watch instead of one Cagle. They might bottle up Uansa, only to have Parkinson emulate Chuck Malling of Temple and crush the line with spinner plays.

The Panthers have so many ways in which to threaten that the battle tomorrow promises to be the most spectacular in the history of all the Rose Bowl classics.

The game two years ago between Stanford and Pitt, using the same style of attack, lacked the sensational features which marked the thriller between Alabama and Washington, using different offensive tactics, although both games were decided by the margin of a single point.

However, Stanford's superiority over Pittsburgh was not told in the 7-to-6 score—the three times Stanford worked the ball to the 5-yard line and was held at bay.

But there was only one forward pass of any consequence—a 30-yard toss from Hoffman to Worden on the march from their own 35-yard line which brought the Card's score in the third period.

The rest of the time it was mostly reverses and fake reverses with occasional laterals and forwards, the majority of the latter falling incomplete or being intercepted.

The two teams used pretty much the same stuff, and the game lacked the thrills which a Stanford-Southern California game always engenders. With Pitt using a lot of Warner stuff with which local fans are familiar tomorrow's game should be a close cousin to the annual Card-Trojan thrillers.

And if it lives up to form you won't see the cash customers walking out by the hundreds as they did at Stanford Saturday when it became apparent early in the second half that Army didn't have a prayer left.

Title Sought in Braddock, Lomski Bout

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Jack Dempsey today appealed to the National Boxing Association to recognize the winner of the Leo Lomski-James J. Braddock fight at the Chicago Coliseum January 17 as the light-heavyweight champion of the world, provided Lomski is victorious over Maxie Rosenbloom in New York January 3.

DADO KAYOES GARCIA

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Speedy Dado, flashy Filipino flyweight from Manila, scored a three-round knockout over Bobby Garcia Los Angeles Mexican, tonight in a scheduled ten-round bout at National Hall.

BAER KNOCKS OUT FUENTE IN FIRST

OAKLAND, Dec. 30. (AP)—Max Baer, promising Livermore heavyweight, knocked out Tony Fuente, Los Angeles veteran, in the first round of their scheduled ten-round bout here tonight. The young Livermore boxer sent Fuente to the floor after a minute of fighting.

"POLLY" HUMBER TO LEAD ARMY ELEVEN

BARSTOW, Dec. 30. (AP)—Cadet Charles J. (Polly) Humber, for the past three years right guard on the West Point Army football team, was elected captain of next year's aggregation at a meeting of letter men held on the train today, en route to West Point. His home address is Eatonton, Ga.

UTAH CAGERS DEFEAT BRUINS

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goal-getting, the visitors soon rolled up an 18-to-4 lead. At this juncture, Caddy sent in his first team amid something resembling a great blare of trumpets on the part of the Bruin enthusiasts. The regulars proceeded to whittle that lead down to 7 points before the Indians counted again, but the score was resting at 25 to 17 when the half ended.

Try as they might in the second half, the Bruins couldn't get over that 8-point hump without sliding back and the Utes scored point for point with the regulars during the final session. Three times the Bruins worked up within 5 points of the visitors and on one occasion were trailing only 4 digits, but always the Indians would come to life just in time and protect their margin with timely baskets.

Capt. Larry Wilds had a "hot" evening and rang up 20 digits to corrall high-point honors. Wilds, however, wasn't getting his customary scoring support from Knowles, who registered but 3 points, and that's what ruined the chances of the Westwood boys. Soest and Shy each sunk four field goals to somewhat make up for Knowles's off night.

Smith, Cox and Dow led the Indian attack, registering 15, 14 and 13 points, respectively. Dow displayed a dead eye on corner shots, on which he accounted for most of his points.

The line-ups:

UTAH	G.	FT.	F.	PT.
Dow, f.	6	1	1	13
Smith, f.	5	5	1	15
Cox, c.	6	2	2	14
Lybbert, g.	2	2	0	6
Clark, g.	1	0	3	2
Watkins, g.	0	0	4	0
Davis, g.	1	0	2	2
Totals	21	10	13	52

U.C.L.A.	G.	FT.	F.	PT.
Von Hagen, f.	0	0	0	0
Gilbert, f.	0	0	0	0
Wilds, f.	7	6	1	20
Piper, f.	0	0	1	0
Soest, f.	1	0	0	2
Palmer, c.	2	0	3	4
Knowles, c.	1	0	1	3
Smith, g.	0	0	0	0
Williams, g.	0	0	0	0
Shy, g.	0	0	0	0
Lubin, g.	0	1	2	1
Totals	16	8	13	44

SCORE BY HALVES

Utah	25	27—52
U.C.L.A.	17	27—44

Referee—Dempsey. Umpire—Blewett.

PASADENA JAYSEE WINS OVER BRUIN FROSH

Coach Frank Baker's Pasadena Junior College Bulldog basketball five handed the U.C.L.A. Frosh quintet its first defeat of the season, 26 to 23, in the preliminary game to the main struggle between U.C.L.A. and Utah in the Olympic last night.

Pasadena.		U.C.L.A.
Hoene	R.F.	Binkely
Smith	L.F.	Lenche
Jones	C.	Terver
Harden	R.G.	Plummer
Shirer	L.G.	Wells

Substitutions — U.C.L.A. Frosh: Byreon and Miller. Pasadena: Sullivan, Carroll, Brewer, Seiss and Knowles.

Body Faces Hole at End of Stroke

BY SOL METZGER

At the finish of any well-played shot the golfer will face the hole. The finish is the result of his efforts in stroking through correctly. It's a check for the player. If he doesn't finish in this way his shot was incorrectly played. Otherwise it is nothing for him to concern himself with.

In other words, you strive to play the ball correctly. When you do the finish will take care of itself. Remember that your body faces the ball as you stroke it. Then your whole thought must concern itself with stroking through the ball toward the flag. Do not think of the fact that at the end of the stroke you will face the hole.

The force of your arm swing against a braced left leg and locked left hip, plus the pull of the club going out after the ball, pulls your body around until it faces the hole.

Golf is a form game. Correct your pivot and you will add yardage to your shots. Sol Metzger has prepared a free illustrated leaflet on The Pivot. Send for it in care of The Times and inclose a stamped, addressed envelope.

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HOLIDAY SOCCER CARD ARRANGED

A holiday soccer program will be held at Loyola Field tomorrow afternoon with a pair of corking good games scheduled. The first game at 1 p.m. will bring the all-stars of the Southern California League against a team of all-stars of the City League. The latter team handed the Southern California loop men a beating on Christmas Day, but since that game the Southern California League has revamped its team and a tight game is in sight for tomorrow.

The second game tomorrow promises to be a fast and furious affair with the league-leading Hollywood football club meeting a hand-picked team from the remainder of the City League.

ANNOUNCE CLUB SCHEDULE

L.A.A.C., Hollywood, San Diego, Coast Clubbers, and Elks Boast Strong Fives

The Southern Pacific A.A.U. basketball schedule for the club division was released last night by the basketball committee, headed by Chairman C. C. McWilliams. The club division is made up of five powerful Southern California teams—Los Angeles Athletic Club, Hollywood Athletic Club, Pacific Coast Club of Long Beach, Los Angeles Elks' Club and the San Diego Athletic Club.

First games will be played January 13 with the L.A.A.C. Mercuries opening against the strong Elks' Club quintet on the latter's floor, and the Pacific Coast Club playing at Hollywood Athletic Club.

The race this year is expected to result in a tight battle for first-place honors, as all five clubs boast strong teams. The championship will be defended by the Los Angeles Athletic Club quintet under Coach F. F. Twogood. The Los Angeles Elks' Club team will be playing its first year in the Club League this season. The Elks won the A.A.U. title in the second division last year and played two close games with the championship L.A.A.C. team in the play-off series.

The schedule for the club division follows:

January 11—L.A.A.C. at San Diego A.C. (This game will be played later.)
January 13—L.A.A.C. at Elks' Club.
Pacific Coast Club at Hollywood A.C.
January 17—Elks' Club at Pacific Coast Club.
January 18—San Diego A.C. at Hollywood A.C.
January 23—Hollywood A.C. at Elks' Club.
January 25—San Diego A.C. at L.A.A.C.
January 27—Hollywood A.C. at L.A.A.C.
February 1—Pacific Coast Club at San Diego A.C.
February 7—L.A.A.C. at Pacific Coast Club.
February 8—Elks' Club at San Diego A.C.
February 11—Hollywood A.C. at Pacific Coast Club. Elks' Club at L.A.A.C.
February 14—Pacific Coast Club at Elks' Club.
February 15—Hollywood A.C. at San Diego A.C.
February 18—Elks' Club at Hollywood A.C.
February 21—Pacific Coast Club at L.A.A.C.
February 22—San Diego A.C. at Elks' Club.
February 25—L.A.A.C. at Hollywood A.C.
March 1—San Diego A.C. at Pacific Coast Club.

Andromeda is in Front at Border Track

AGUA CALIENTE, Dec. 30.—Andromeda, fast brown filly, bred on Baron Long's Rancho Valle de Las Viejas in San Diego county, showed her heels to a field of high-class platers this afternoon to walk off with the principal number on the program. The filly was away fast and raced behind the fast pace of Polita to the stretch. Getting through on the rail, she went to the front to win going away by a length.

Polita saved the place and Russet collected the show. Benny Creech's filly ran the five and one-half furlongs in 1:06 1-5. Results:

First race, five and one-half furlongs—Dolly Ray, 107 (Green,) won; Lovalon (13 (Gurlbert,) second; Polaka, 107 (Mills,) third. Time, 1:07 1-5.
Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Ray Lad, 107 (Schultz,) won; Don K., 111 (Moya,) second; Kentucky, 107 (Richardson,) third. Time, 1:07 1-5.
Third race, six furlongs—Hatrick, 105 (Baird,) won; Trytus Past, 105 (Morrison,) second; Maridiana, 113 (Schultz,) third. Time, 1:13 4-5.
Fourth race, mile and one-sixteenth—The Orientalist, 108 (Reddine,) won; Pegasus, 103 (Moran,) second; Green Ellis, 107 (Perchy,) third. Time, 1:48.
Fifth race, five and one-half furlongs—Andromeda, 108 (Reddine,) won; Polita, 100 (Schultz,) second; Russet, 100 (Mulrooney,) third. Time, 1:06 1-5.
Sixth race, seven furlongs—Pat, 106 (Schultz,) won; Hip Hap, 107 (Moran,) second; Olive Dexter, 109 (Longden,) third. Time, 1:24.
Seventh race, five and one-half furlongs—Norah, 106 (Baird,) won; Joker, 106 (Morrison,) second; Woodside Belle, 109 (Leishman,) third. Time, 1:07 1-5.
Eighth race, seven furlongs—Fetching, 105 (Mulrooney,) won; Claude C., 107 (Keiser,) second; War Dota, 109 (McHugh,) third. Time, 1:26 1-5.

Los Angeles Puck Chasers Capture Tilt

In an extra-period game featured by the starring play of Jack Lawrence, the Los Angeles Richfield hockey team defeated the Hollywood Millionaires last night at the Winter Garden Ice Palace, 4 to 3. It was the dominating play of Lawrence that decided the issue. He scored the winning goal and he produced more than his share of the other tallies made by his teammates.

Nichols made the first goal of the evening in the opening period for Los Angeles. Mayer made it even steven in the second session for Hollywood. Then Rube Brandow scored for the Oilers and Jack Wilson followed suit in the same period, putting the Richfield team ahead.

Peltier tallied on a lucky shot and Mayer tied the score for Hollywood. The game then was forced into an extra period. Headley proceeded to break up a great many plays in the extra session, but he was finally forced off the ice. Lawrence ended the game with a score for Los Angeles a few seconds later.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

North Dakota University, 24; Montana University, 22.

Butler, 38; Nebraska, 26.

Georgia Tech, 37; Stevens Tech, 28.

Positions of Guards Show Type Defense

BY SOL METZGER

Styles change in sport. Some thirteen years ago, Lon Jourdet, coaching a Penn basketball squad, hit upon a new defense that caused his five to sweep the board in the East to an intercollegiate victory. It became known as the five-man, man-to-man defense. It revolutionized basketball.

There have been many developments and variations of the original product. But today it is coming into its own again after a craze of zone defensive systems and combinations of the two. Washington used it last year in its two-line style, the three forwards and center meeting the attack just back of midcourt, the two guards laying farther back. They had splendid results with it in the Pacific Northwest.

The scheme they worked was to have the two guards cover the first two opponents to break through the forward wall, Nos. 1 and 2 in the diagram, the other three teammates taking the next three men as they appeared.

Such a defense can be distinguished from a zone defense by the fan if he watches the guards. In zone defensive play the guards will not leave their zones. In man-to-man they hug to the first man they cover wherever he goes.

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HARTNETT'S ARM BACK IN SHAPE

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302, fielded .969, and was an important cog in fourteen double plays.

The first week of the 1929 training season, however, he was teasing the baseball with his usual speed when his right arm suddenly went lame. Club trainers could do nothing to restore it. He went to several specialists, but his arm was still dead. His loss nearly wrecked the Cubs, whose utility catchers failed to make the grade or were injured. Once the Bruins possessed but a third-string catcher to call and catch the curves of Guy Bush, Pat Malone, Charlie Root, et al.

Dr. Eastman took over the case and by months of research and examinations found what he claimed to be the trouble—a local infection in the intestinal tract. This was remedied, he said, and Hartnett's arm returned to normal.

Oxy Five Bows to B.Y. Cagers

A rally in the last few minutes of a very exciting basketball game gave the Brigham Young cagers a victory last night over Occidental College by a 47-to-41 count at Glendale High School. The rally was led by Magleby of the Rocky Mountaineers and it produced a victory at a time when the game was in the balance.

Occidental played a very nice game of basketball leading the Brigham Young team 21 to 18 at half time but the passing and team play of the visitors and the rush of Magleby cinched the issue for Brigham Young.

In the preliminary game Glendale J. C. defeated the L. A. Olympic Club 29 to 18.

The line-ups:

Brigham Young		Occidental
Bemmer (11)	F.	Glover (12)
Brinker (11)	F.	Minter (13)
Walker (9)	C.	Willett (13)
Cooper (9)	G.	Keller (7)
Magleby (16)	G.	Beebe (5)

Substitutions—For Brigham Young: Lee. For Occidental: Myers.

SCORE BY PERIODS

Occidental	11	30—41
Brigham Young	18	29—47

PREPS PLAN NO PROGRESS

Relegating Idea to Co Before Commission

Hope to Have System for Fall Term

Principals Vote Next Advisory Board

BY IRVING SCHEUER

In spite of several rumors to the contrary, the plan releasing [illegible] schools is not progressing very fast.

About six weeks ago, the principals of the city schools asked for a study to be made, with the idea in mind to relegate the schools. Since then numerous plans have been suggested, all of which will be submitted to the advisory committee on boys' athletics [illegible] day afternoon.

Members of the athletic committee, which includes [illegible] Wadsworth, principal of [illegible] Hills High; John [illegible] schools athletic [illegible] Motty Stein, who is [illegible] vice-principal of [illegible] all agree that it will be [illegible] time before a plan [illegible] satisfy everybody [illegible] called upon.

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Whatever the decision may be, it is certain that it will be a permanent. The enrollment in the schools is increasing every year. At present there are plans under consideration for [illegible] new schools, one to be in the [illegible] district and another near [illegible]

HANLON'S BOY OVER ON BOUT

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Utah Team is Easy Win Over Whittier

The Utah Aggies [illegible] Whittier College [illegible] 46 to 12, last night in [illegible] played at the Fort [illegible] walkaway for the [illegible] Rocky Mountain [illegible] jump. The score [illegible]

Utah, 31; Whittier, 4

Line-ups:

Utah Aggies.		
Nemitz (6)	F.	
Parkinson (12)	F.	
Davis (11)	C.	
Bastian (4)	G.	
Young (2)	G.	

SCORE BY PERIODS

Utah	[illegible]	
Pacific	[illegible]	

Substitutions—For Utah: [illegible] (2), Crockett (3), [illegible] ker, Walker (3).

The amazing progress of Southern California is reveal'ed in an authentic economic survey in the winter Number of Times, out January 2.

BOXING EVERY FRIDAY NITE

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MOTTS BLAIR

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There are quite a number of things to be discussed next Monday. Pertinent facts that will be taken into consideration will be the enrollment of the schools, the geographical location, ancient rivalries, amount of travel over main arteries when two teams meet, and the futures of the individual schools.

Several comparatively new schools in the city have very bright futures and should be placed accordingly. George Washington High and Beverly Hills are the most prominent of this group.

Although things look pretty gloomy at present, it is hoped that the new system will be ready for use by next football season.

If a general plan is accepted Monday the matter will then be referred to the principals. If the principals' meeting the releaguing plan will then be put before the C.I.F., as it is expected that both San Pedro and Venice, who are now in the Bay League, will be affected.

And if it passes the C.I.F., the principals and the advisory committee, the final plan will have in its wake quite a number of disappointed schools, who were used to be in with earlier or tougher competition as the case may be. For before the matter is definitely settled it is sure to bring out arguments by the score.

Whatever the decision may be it is certain that it won't be permanent. The enrollment in the schools is increasing every year and at present there are plans under consideration for several new schools, one to be in the Los Feliz district and another near Inglewood.

HANLON'S TERM OVER ON BOAR

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spend the remainder of the w... According to report he will claim his return.

One complication in the show as far as the Governor is concerned is that James Woods, a commissioner, has moved from Los Angeles to San Francisco, giving the bay city two members and leaving the south without a resident commissioner. There were reports that Woods planned to resign but friends say he has no such intention.

CHES VETO LE CHANGES

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tion the difference between the two penalties be assessed. The proposal would have given the team in possession of the ball first down on the sidelines, instead of putting it in play fifteen yards from the sideline with a new set of downs.

Coach Knute Rockne, of Notre Dame, spoke of the value of training football players and the danger of leaving the games on practice fields. "I encourage our varsity to play every game at Notre Dame," he said, "and men who pinch-hitted for the regulars in some of the season's important games. "If we were to get our men hurt it would be a game, not on a back field."

Members of the stabilizing committee, headed by W. McGugin declared that the standard of college athletics found in the Carnegie report will be raised by the steadily increasing standard of scholarship in the states. The Vanderbilt coach said that coaches should be responsible only to administrative officials of colleges and universities.

Dr. John H. Tufts, reporting the committee on ethics, urged that football coaches refrain from criticising opponents. Some feel it should be said, to approach officials of a game to urge that they call violations of the rules which their team may commit.

NEW HOCKEY LOOP

(Tex.) Dec. 30. (AP)—Jack Garland, who voluntarily retired from the lightweight boxing ranks, has completed arrangements for a new ice hockey league in the sunny South. Leonard will operate teams in Dallas, Fort Worth and Oklahoma City, and a fourth organization in Tulsa, which already is in the American Association.

Utah Team in Easy Win Over Whittier Five

The Utah Aggies defeated Whittier College basketball team 46 to 12 last night in a game played at the Poet gym. It was a walkaway for the visitors from the Rocky Mountains from the opening jump. The score at half-time was Utah, 21; Whittier, 6.

Line-ups:

Utah Aggies.		Whittier.
Henrie (6)	F.	Landreth
Parkinson (12)	F.	Wagner
Davis (11)	C.	Q. Cox
Bemison (4)	G.	Jones
Young (2)	G.	

SCORE BY HALVES

Utah	21
Whittier	6

Field goals—Henrie (6), Parkinson (12), Davis (11), Bemison (4), Young (2). Substitutes for Utah, Watkins (5), Hall (7), Campbell (2), Bellton (3); for Whittier, Walker (2).

The amazing progress Southern California is ve'ed in an authoritative economic survey in the Mi winter Number of T Times, out January 2.

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BY KAY OWE

and a battle royal Olympic. Jack DeMave of New York and Les Kennedy headline the card.

It will be the second test against an eastern fighter for the rawboned and ambitious Kennedy. He gave old Kayo Christner quite a pasting a few weeks ago.

They call it an upset for a young chap to whip an experienced the rubber puddler but it might have been Kennedy.

fans will see a who was rated to toss into the Charley, Young Sharkey, Jimmy Maloney, Jack DeKuh, Jack and other topliners.

a big, blond fellow. He by birth, but has of his six years of fighting in New York. While no about his head, good tip-off on how in the East, hudTunney's vacant

is the added attNew Year carnival. first one ever staged although now and fight turns into a battle royal.

Striking at Attin January 22, and likely to be busy here time. There is a to see Kennedy and in action. Campagainst Johnny

interested, in two just now in Campwith Dynamite trying to crowd Jim Jeffries is for a premier, Morrow is on the infected ear.

tonight feature promising Jewish welLeo Hernandez, hardin the six-round Miller plans to make in 1930.

has plenty of ability sidetracked several going so fast. He was a little over a year his best weight is 150 Hernandez is a good right-hander, winning over half his

special event a familiar that when Jack Silvia Chavez over road. A few years was one of the crack of California.

is a welter now and fight himself up in this to be once did as a The Jewish boy and fought the first here held in the State after the passage round boxing bill.

tonight are Tommy Milford Berglund and vs. Walter Hoffman. Hoffman are heavyYoung Huffman is a Eddie Huffman Dempsey DeMave in Madison Garden.

Mills Named Georgetown Grid Coach

NEW YORK, Dec. 30. (AP)—Tommy Mills, assistant to Knute Rockne at Notre Dame for the last four years, today was named coach of Georgetown University's football team, it was announced by Rev. Joseph O'Brien, faculty director of athletics at Georgetown. Mills signed a three-year contract, Father O'Brien announced. Mills succeeds Lou Little, who recently signed to coach Columbia University's team.

TROJANS TAKE HARD WORKOUT

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Pinckert and Shaver are seniors, these being sophomores.

Prior to watching the Trojans in action I took a look at the Panthers as they gamboled about the Rose Bowl. There is no denying that Jock Sutherland has a trim, well set-up, aggressive football team, made up of players who are far more mature than the Trojans.

Donchess, all-American end, down at 166 pounds on the roster, weighs 180, or I'm a so-and-so. He has big legs and a fighting face. If Joe weighs 168, Francis Tappaan, down at 163 on the programs, really comes in at about 145. That's how much difference there is in the weight of the two all-American ends, each of whom wears No. 11.

The Panthers are a well-knit bunch of athletes, but they will be outweighed by their foes. Sutherland's team wears blue jerseys with gold trimmings and that tends to make 'em look small (blue always does.) The Trojans will don their white unies with black stripes tomorrow and they'll look positively huge. But don't be fooled, for such men as Parkinson, McMurdo, Tulley and Montgomery are big enough to play in anybody's league. They give one the impression of packing a lot of speed and the Trojan line will have to be charging at its best or Pitt's backs will be off for long gains.

I thought that Daugherty, center, and Capt. DiMeolo, were rather small, compared to some of our western linemen. Which will probably serve to make 'em mad enough to eat the Trojans alive, provided they care what anyone, least of all a sports writer, cares about them, which they probably don't.

IN THE MIDDLE

Don't know anything about Howard Jones's plans, but after looking at DiMeolo and Daugherty I would suspect that Messrs. Saunders and Musick were destined to at least try a lot of heavy zooming at the middle of Pitt's line. Of course, all-American Ray Montgomery is also in the middle of the Panther forward wall and that's bound to make a difference. But if DiMeolo and Daugherty don't take a pounding I miss my guess several miles.

Parkinson backs up the line and eastern critics rate him the greatest defensive back in the business. He looks it. Undoubtedly he will lend the Pitt line much aid and I honestly feel sorry for some of the Trojan backs as they go through the line unless they get help from their interference runners, which they probably will, or the interference runners will be out of there in a hurry.

Present plans call for the Trojans to work again this morning at the Rose Bowl. The practice will be only a light one, more to accustom the players to the turf there than anything else.

BRUNDAGE SEES SPORT UTOPIA

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dage related how the Chicago Athletic Association was forced to abandon the sport of track and field because of the demands of athletes who had received subsidies at college and sought similar inducements from the club.

ALL FOOLISHNESS

"If all the hullabaloo of the football season is designed solely for the physical training of "some 40 to 50 "it's all wrong—it's all foolishness." men on the squad," said Brundage.

The need, he declared, is for the development of a higher standard of amateur sportsmanship among all those connected with football and other sports, whether in a competitive or administrative capacity or merely as a spectator.

Taking an optimistic view, Brundage said, "We are learning that the public and the press demand when we have run that they must be lived up to" and forecast a general improvement through a closer adherence to the principles of amateurism in amateur sport.

"Bulletin 23" was hailed by Dr. Charles W. Kennedy of Princeton as "one of the greatest services that could be performed for amateur sport in this or any other country." While noting improvement in the conditions, as described in the report, Dr. Kennedy declared "there is still a very great responsibility resting upon us."

True amateur athletics is a refreshing influence "in these days when there is almost nothing that does not have a price tag attached," Dr. Kennedy said. He urged that every effort be made to keep them free of commercial taint.

As to the contention that a student athlete is entitled to share some of the gate receipts as a reward for his "services," Dr. Kennedy said:

PLAYERS LUCKY

"We do not look at it that way at Princeton, we owe the athlete nothing. On the contrary he receives from the university the privilege of bearing the Princeton colors and he must bear them in the right way."

Dr. Howard J. Savage of the Carnegie Foundation, author of Bulletin 23, reiterated its charges of recruiting and subsidizing.

PITT IMPRESSES IN LOCAL DRILL

Panthers Shape Up as Fast Football Team

Cloudy Skies to Liking of Panther Coach

Pop Warner on Hand to Aid Former Pupil

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ping tackles, posted in the weight list at 184 and 189 respectively, but list at 184 and 189, respectively, but down at 208 pounds.

Either Parkinson, the bull-necked fullback, is overweight or the other boys have been shaved in the poundage alips.

However, this is nothing unusual and has been known to occur more than once in our best college circles.

Ray Montgomery, the all-American guard, is a fine, splendidly built chap and looks sturdy enough to mow down the hardest of line chargers as well as lead interference like a young bull on the Pitt reverses.

Everybody remembers Joe Donchess when he played with Pitt against Stanford two years ago, and now that he's an all-American end he will be much easier to observe, particularly since his number is 11—the same as Francis Tappaan, who also made some of the all-American teams.

Pitt's other all-Americans are Toby Uansa, who is a little fellow, and Parkinson, the big fullback.

Paul Collins, the end with no all-American rating, appears to be a chap well able to take care of himself.

Among the dark horses of the Pitt outfit the tip has gone out to watch Franklin Hood, who wears No. 41 on his golden jersey.

When he was in preparatory school at Bellefonte Academy in Pennsylvania, Hood was rated as the greatest forward passer ever developed in the East.

Just why he has not been used more this year is something of a mystery to boosters of Bellefonte, where Daugherty, the center, also prepped.

Perhaps Dr. Jock Sutherland will answer the question tomorrow. He may have been saving him for the New Year's Day classic—for the downfall of the Trojans.

HENRY ON HAND

Mr. Leslie B. Henry, who used to fuss around picking the New Year's Day teams, finally giving it up as a bad and thankless job, was on the field yesterday afternoon, and made a very astute prognostication about the weather tomorrow.

Taking a forty-year period of reckoning as the basis for his prophecy, Mr. Henry observed that whenever it failed to rain on Christmas Day in Pasadena, it also has failed to rain on New Year's Day.

Therefore, he predicts that the overhanging clouds of yesterday mean nothing as far as moisture tomorrow is concerned.

However, the outlook delighted Coach Sutherland, who made a wry face when he remembered the mercury at 82 two years ago.

"Give us a day like today with some chill and nip in the air and we won't worry about the weather. Rain won't bother us, either," said the tight-lipped Scotchman.

OLYMPIC BODY CHANGES LOOM

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000 for the permanent funding of the American Olympic participation.

The purpose of these proposals is to bring about complete separation between all financial considerations and questions having to do with the selection of the American representatives in the Olympic Games. While apparently enjoying joint approval, these recommendations were regarded as a concession to the viewpoint of the faction represented by Gen. Pierce, who has consistently advocated more businesslike administration of the Olympic Association as well as greater representation for the college groups which supply so large a part of the competitive talent.

The conference also agreed upon a proposal to split up the two classes—one composed of the active sports-governing bodies, with full voting powers; the other composed of associate members, without voting power, including groups or individuals interested in the participation of America in the Olympics but not promoting any sport on the Olympic program.

Along with this, a readjustment of relative voting strength of the voting members was proposed, together with a two-thirds vote requirement on decisions of the association. The changes, however, apparently strike no blow at the balloting strength of the A.A.U. and its Allies. On the contrary, they appeared likely to strengthen the A.A.U. position, by the simple process of weeding out the voting privileges of some groups and individuals hitherto arrayed against it. For instance, the Boy Scouts and Y.M.C.A., although members of the association, under the proposed arrangement would not have voting privileges, since neither organization promotes nor governs sports in the Olympic program.

Seventy-four constituent members of the American Olympic Association were invited to propose constitutional amendments. Those selected for further consideration will be scrutinized by the executive powers of the association, but the actual showdown on the entire reorganization scheme will not take place until the quadrennial meeting of the A.O.A. next winter.

PITTSBURGH ROOTERS ARRIVE FOR CLASSIC

Seventy-five Pittsburgh University rooters arrived last night and checked in at the Alexandria Hotel. They are here for the game with Southern California which takes place tomorrow at the Rose Bowl. A number of the Carnegie Tech followers are still at the hotel Fay Smalley, manager announced last night. They will attend the football classic with their Pittsburgh brethren.

DARO SIGNS MALCEWICZ

Utica Panther to Meet Everett Marshall in Mat Struggle at Olympic

"Carnation" Lou Daro, local wrestling promoter, yesterday signed Joe Malcewicz, the backward body slam exponent from Utica, N. Y., to meet Everett Marshall, 215-pound Washington State College mat star, in the finish feature event of his opening mat show of the new year, scheduled for the Olympic, January 8.

Malcewicz is rated as one of the greatest grapplers of his weight the game has produced in the last ten years. He had been unbeaten up until a few years ago, and in 1926, when Joe Stecher was champion, he was given the Nebraskan's title when the body scissor exponent jumped out of the ring rather than wrestle him.

He suffered one of his first defeats in ten years in the local ring when he was tossed by Ed Lewis, then champion. He was the first ever to beat Marin Piestina, turning the trick in Denver, Colo., several years ago, and he repeated in their first rematch in the local ring. He beat Stecher again in Boston early this year, and at that time was rated as having the best possibilities of being the next world's champion.

Malcewicz was the first among the real topnotchers of the game to accept the challenge Marshall hurled at the stars of the game who have been appearing here during the past year or more. The Utican wired Daro from Boston that he would tackle Marshall, and the local promoter wired back terms that were accepted.

Marshall is but 22 years of age has been wrestling as a professional since last February, and has yet to be beaten on the mat. He wrestled three years as an amateur without a defeat. He was the "dark horse" of that group of grapplers, headed by Dick Shikat, Jim Londos, Pete Sauer, Hans Stienke, Jim McMillen, who have been offered matches here, provided they would meet suitable opponents, it is reported. Marshall has been the only one of the group to accept Daro's offer, and he did so by issuing a challenge to everyone who has wrestled here, from the champion down.

The Utican has always been one of the first obstacles placed in that path of ambitious youngsters with great ability and to date he has been successful in turning back all of them. Mat experts here declare Marshall has a very good chance against any of the stars, including the Utican.

Two other big matches are expected to be signed for this card within the next few days, Promoter Daro announced.

MORE RECORDS BROKEN

All records for football crowds in one season were shattered when upward of 586,000 persons attended the nine games played by Notre Dame's eleven this year. The Southern California game at Soldier Field, Chicago, drew the largest single day's throng—123,000.

Pillsbury to Attend A.A. Meet in East

A. C. Pillsbury, director of automobile racing in the West, boarded a train last night, bound for New York. The popular official will attend the meeting of the A.A. contest board, called by Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker for January 6, next. Pillsbury was loaded down with ideas when he left. The local man is interested in the American Legion Speedway here and he is anxious to obtain as much recognition for the track from the high moguls of the game as possible. During his absence, Pillsbury's duties will be assumed by George Stevenson, well known here as a technical official. Cliff Durant has been appointed to referee the next 100-lap race here January 12.

ROBLETO-SPORT MIX IN PASADENA RING

The greatest grudge fight of recent months at the Pasadena Arena will come off Thursday night when Canto Robleto and Young Sport, flyweights, meet for the third time. They are billed for six rounds, but if either has the strength to score a knockout it will end a lot earlier.

KLICK FAVORED TO WIN

San Francisco Junior Lightweight Picked Over Maurice Holtzer in Legion Battle

Frankie Klick, San Francisco junior lightweight, is favorite to win from Maurice Holtzer in the main event at the Hollywood American Legion Stadium Friday night. Klick beat Ignatio Fernandez, the Filipino, at Hollywood a few weeks ago, and any boy who can beat Fernandez is rated very highly in that division.

The Frenchman has had two fights at Hollywood. He has looked good in both starts. He won from Rita Funay, Filipino, and two weeks ago won from Ward Sparks. Holtzer fights in a crouch and is a body puncher. Klick has a style to make that type of fighter come out of the crouch. He is one of the few fighters to use an uppercut effectively.

A semi-wind-up that should bring together a pair of sockers features Sand, Garrison and Lefty Cooper, who at one time fought Mickey Walker for his welterweight title in San Francisco. Cooper is a southpaw who has had more experience than Garrison.

Frankie Diaz, Mexican lightweight, fights a newcomer, Fred Tomkins, in the special. Diaz has displayed a knockout wallop in the fights he has had at Hollywood. He is just a youngster and is showing promise. Art Yarnell fights Leonard Allen in one of the four-round bouts.

ANCIENT GAME

Court tennis, of which Pierre Etchebaster, Basque, is the world's professional champion, has been played continuously in Europe for at least 700 years.

WILLIE HOPPE OUT OF TITLE CUE PLAY

CHICAGO, Dec. 30. (AP)—Willie Hoppe has withdrawn from the field which will compete for the world's three-cushion billiard championship at New York, starting January 3, next, and will be replaced by Allen Hall of Chicago.

Hoppe withdrew because he failed to gain a satisfactory contract with the National Billiard Association, sponsor of the championship. It was doubtful whether he would compete in the world's 18.2 balkline championship, either.

MAY SET MARK FOR HERMOSA FISHING

HERMOSA BEACH, Dec. 30.—With huge hauls of mackerel being brought ashore daily from the big Olympic barge, off shore here, prospects are bright for a new seasonal record for Hermosa deep-sea fishing. Perch and smelt are also biting well as are sandabs and flounders.

Corbina and croakers are reported daily by Hermosa surf fishers.

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New York New Year Fete on KHJ's Program

KFI to Broadcast Tolling of London's "Big Ben"

The Times Forum, KHJ, 10:30 a.m.; June Brandon, soprano, and Dr. Frank McCoy, health writer of The Times.

BY JOHN S. DAGGETT

An intricately woven blanket of the world for New Year's greetings will be spread across the seven seas tonight by amateur radio stations. Followers of radio broadcast give scant thought to the young, high school student "ham" at his amateur set, located back in the garage or barn, but these boys and girls will more completely cover the earth with greetings than will the vast chain broadcast organization and their tied-in allies.

"Working on their own little wave band and cognizant of the time difference between various longitudes around the globe, it will be possible for an operator to send his greetings from the old year to the new via the swift wings of radio and on around the earth into the morning of the day," said Reginald Neelands, local "ham" yesterday.

SEAS TO BE SPANNED

"Short wave lengths in which we work have made it possible for operators with low-powered, home-made outfits, to communicate over long distances. The Atlantic will be bridged by operators on the east coast of the United States, flashing their greetings to unseen brothers in Europe. Just as easily will operators of stations in France, England, Belgium, Germany and other European nations signal back their thanks and good wishes to the sons of the United States.

"A few hours later the stations of the East will be on the other side of the line and consequently open for the congratulations of stations in the Middle West. Once again the exchange of good-will speeding through the ether will amalgamate the spirit of the New Year on an international basis which few people fully appreciate. And now the opportunity of relaying greetings of their amateur friends on the other side of the great pond will be given to the operators of the eastern United States stations. An hour later the operators in the central-time division will be talking with those of the mountain standard time zone and the messages from Europe and the east coast of America will be forwarded one more lap in their relayed journey around the world and will click into the Southern Hemisphere.

LOCAL AMATEURS BUSY

"The next lap will bring the New Year relay party to the Pacific Coast, with the clock passing between 11 and 12 p.m. Pacific standard time and between midnight and 1 a.m. mountain standard time, the amateur radio stations in the vicinity of Los Angeles will be very active collecting the unseen New Year's "ham" messages from stations in the mountain time division and relaying them on to stations situated in the far reaches of the broad Pacific.

"From stations on lonely islands of the tropical Pacific the well wishes of eastern brethren will be sent forward to Eastern Asia and from there they will be shot across the great continent to the place of their origin.

"Imagine how G5BY in England will feel when he takes a message from YI1AC in Iraq like this: 'YI1AC sends New Year's greetings to hams 'round the world.'

"While the great powers are spending fabulous sums in efforts to consummate negotiations for world peace, the little-known 'hams' of radio are cementing international friendships which in time must help to unify the world.

GREETING NEW YEAR

New York City's gay night life and seeing of the old year out and the new year in will be heard in Los Angeles as the feature over KHJ, the Don Lee station, from 9 to 10 o'clock tonight. Direct broadcast through the Columbia Broadcasting System will come from eight of the best known night clubs of the eastern metropolis. As the magic hour of farewell to 1929, the actual proceedings, as picked up by microphones suspended from the marquee of the Paramount Theater in the heart of Times Square, will broadcast the revelry of the merrymakers.

This feature will begin at exactly 8:58 Pacific standard time, and continue for three minutes, giving the rest of the country a graphic picture of the welcoming of the new year in the heart of the Great White Way. The orchestras to be presented preceding the advent of 1930 and following its reception will include those of the Paramount Hotel, Young's Restaurant, Yacht Club, Hotel Roosevelt, Marquee of Paramount Theater, Silver Slipper Supper Club, Hotel Commodore, Club Plaza and finally, the Cotton Club.

LOCAL CELEBRATIONS

"New Year's Eve in a Radio Cafe" will be the night feature at KMTR from 8 to 9 o'clock. The New Year's spirit will prevail with the presentation of cabaret entertainers and orchestra in a continuity evolved by Harry Geise.

KNX will give an earful of what is happening at the Cocoanut Grove at midnight, while KFI will bring the spirit of San Francisco from one of the leading hotels.

BIG BEN WILL BOOM

A history-making feature of the day will be the reception at 2:50 p.m. in KFI of the tolling of Big Ben, the great bell in London's clock tower. The striking of the gigantic bell, weighing fifteen and one-half tons, will be carried by short wave to a receiving station at Riverhead, L. I., relayed to New York over land wires and thence transmitted to stations of the N.B.C. chain throughout the country.

Big Ben was hung in the clock tower, which stands 320 feet high, over the entrance of the House of Commons, or the Palace of Westminster, as it also is known, in the year 1858. It derived its name from Sir Benjamin Hall, the first Commissioner of Works. It is sounded regularly every hour.

The RADIO DIAL Hour by Hour

KMTR—570 K., 526 M.
KFI 640 K., 468.5 M.
KEJK 710 K., 422.3 M.
KELW 780 K., 384.4 M.
KTM 780 K., 384.4 M.
KFQZ—860 K., 348.6 M.
KHJ—900 K., 333.1 M.
KFWB—950 K., 315.6 M.
KPVD—1000 K., 299.8 M.
KNX—1050 K., 285.5 M.
KMIC—1120 K., 267.7 M.
KOPJ—1450 K., 249.9 M.
KECA—1430 K., 209.7 M.

(From Programs Submitted by Stations)
(ALPHABETICALLY ARRANGED)

6 to 8 a.m.

KEJK—Morning exercises at 7.
KFI—Morning exercises at 7.
KHJ—Stock Exchange reports; records.
KMTR—Hour of Words and music at 6.
KNX—Exercise recommences at 6:45.
KTM—Phonograph records

8 to 10 a.m.

KEJK—Miracle hour.
KFI—Shell Happy Time Hour from KPO.
KFWB—Organ and recordings.
KHJ—Recordings.
KMTR—Home talk; music
KNX—Prayer, talks and music.
KTM—Phonograph records

10 a.m. to 12 Noon

KEJK—U.S.C. Chapel, opportunity hour at 10:20.
KFI—Home talks; English lesson.
KFWB—Recordings; radio variieties.
KHJ—Agnes White; Times Forum, 10:30, presenting Dr. Frank McCoy, June Brandon; Charlie Hamp at 11.
KMTR—Organ recital.
KNX—Talks and music

12 Noon to 2 p.m.

KEJK—Modes and fashions.
KFI—Reports, talks and music.
KFWB—Radio varieties.
KHJ—Concert orchestra to 12:30; Times world-wide news, 12:30; L. A. Advertising Club, 12:45; Charlie Wellman, 1:30.
KMTR—Banjo Boys, 1 to 1:15.
KNX—String ensemble, 12; the Bookworm, 1:30.
KTM—Organ hour at 1.

2 to 4 p.m.

KEJK—Matinee program.
KFI—Big Ben from London at 2:50.
KHJ—Records to 3; Western Air Express at 3; Midnight Mission, 3:30; U.S.C. "Trojan" period at 3:45.
KMTR—Spanish program.
KNX—Fireman's orchestra, 2:30.
KTM—Santa Monica band, 2:30.

4 to 6 p.m.

KEJK—Music and topics of the day.
KFI—Studio; "Big Brother," 4:30; Baron Ingres, stormman at 5.
KFWB—Studio variet es.
KHJ—Melody Masters; flashes, world wide news at 4:30; "Four Boys."
KMTR—Happiness Hour and Hawaiian Trio.
KNX—Courtesy program; Travelogue.
KTM—Martin Mason and Jean Talbot.

6 to 7 p.m.

KEJK—Eveready hour.
KFWB—Violet Ray dance orchestra.
KFI—Paul Whiteman's Orchestra.
KMTR—Rudolph Schrader, organ.
KNX—Organ recital; string ensemble, 6:30.

7 to 8 p.m.

KFI—RKO hour.
KFWB—Hollywood A. C. orchestra; Murphy players, 7:30.
KHJ—Extra, Brumbaugh.
KMTR—KMTR singers.
KNX—Recordings; Dr. Baumgardt at 7.

8 to 9 p.m.

KFI—Edwin August Players.
KFWB—Organ recital at 8.
KHJ—Concert from KFRC.
KMTR—New Year's Eve in a Radio Cafe.
KNX—Studio, Hercules frolic.
KTM—Gilmore circus.

9 to 10 p.m.

KEJK—U.S.C. to 9:30; orchestra.
KFWB—Orchestra; flashes, 9:40.
KHJ—New Year's celebration from Times Square, N. Y.
KFI—Musical review.
KMTR—Vaudeville.
KNX—Ensemble; The Rounders.
KTM—Miniature symphony.

10 p.m. to midnight

KEJK—Orchestra to 11; records.
KFI—Orchestra.
KFWB—Dance orchestra to 11:30
KHJ—Times world-wide news at 10; Bennett's dance orchestra.
KMTR—Orchestra to 11; frolic.
KNX—Mal Hallett's Cocoanut Grove Orchestra
KTM—Melodists; organ at 11.

Midnight to 1 a.m.

KHJ—Organ recital by Wesley Tourtellotte.
KNX, KTM—Records.

'Power of Love' Reopens Tonight

Tonight will witness the reopening of "Power of Love," the drama of English life by Charles Abbott and produced by the Renick Players at the Actors' Theater under the direction of Miss Ruth Renick. Changes in the action of the play have transformed it from straight dialogue humor to a fast-moving drama, it is said, extremely thrilling and gripping.

RUTH RENICK

The introduction of a gambling-den scene with a subsequent police raid and double shooting provides an unusual note to the play. Ruth Renick, well-known stage and screen player and director of the enterprise, will appear as the leading lady, supported by a cast including Arthur Wellington, Rose Tapley, Howard Russel and Gladys Kingsbury.

BEAUDINE FINISHES

With production of "His Woman," William Beaudine's current production for First National, to be concluded next week, the director, in his spare time is looking over a number of scripts to select his next directorial effort for that company. Monte Blue, Lila Lee, William Boyd and Betty Compson head the cast of "His Woman."

CIVIC REPERTORY DRIVE BEGINS

Funds Sought for New Theater Season

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Bottom row, left to right—Bess David, Mary Bowden and Ellen Woodston. Top row—Jean Edwards, Evelyn Gaylord and Mary Coleman.

A CAMPAIGN for subscriptions for the second season of the Civic Repertory Theater, formerly Los Angeles Repertory Theater, was launched yesterday by Simeon Gest and H. Ellis Reed, promoters of the enterprise. The services of many young film actresses have been enlisted and they will make a canvass in expectation of bringing the number of subscribers up from last year's 3000 to 5000. Civic Repertory has taken over the Music Box in Hollywood.

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"SKINNER STEPS OUT"

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MARY NOLAN TO PLAY FINE ROLE

Universal Rewards Actress With "Sincerity" Part

Paramount Buying Rights to "Strictly Dishonorable"

Ralph Graves, Jack Holt in Story of Navy

BY GRACE KINGSLEY

Having made a hit in all the pictures in which she has starred for Universal, Mary Nolan has received as a reward for her artistic efforts a renewal of her contract with a substantial raise in salary — a salary now equal to that of almost any other star in the business.

MARY NOLAN

But this is not all. As another Christmas gift Miss Nolan has been assigned one of the finest roles any actress could ask for. This is nothing less than the lead in "Sincerity," which will probably be her next starring role for Universal.

"Sincerity" is John Erskine's latest novel. The talking picture rights to it were purchased especially for Miss Nolan. So far no director has been assigned.

PARAMOUNT BUYING STURGEON COMEDY

There is a stiff competition on between picture producers these days when it comes to bidding for talking picture rights to stage successes.

MAURICE CHEVALIER

Therefore it is something of a feather in Paramount's cap that its officials have been able to purchase—as we hear on good authority that they have—the dialogue and picture rights to so sensationally successful a stage hit as Rolin Sturgeon's "Strictly Dishonorable."

The play is to serve as a vehicle, we understand, for either Maurice Chevalier or Frederic March. We hear it whispered that the woman's role in the play is so important that M. Chevalier is not sure that whoever plays it may not run away with the picture, and therefore he isn't sure that he doesn't prefer to play something else. On the other hand, Paramount's officials aren't at all sure that they would not prefer March as better suited to the leading male role than is Mr. Chevalier. So it looks as though the thing will be all smoothed out to everybody's satisfaction.

Ralph Graves Is Busy

Ralph Graves is starting his new year out right by keeping himself very busy.

He is engaged at present in writing a story of the navy for Columbia, and when he finishes that part, his task will be only partly done, since he is going to play in the picture also.

In fact, Graves and Jack Holt are going to be cofeatured in the picture, and if Graves also directs that should give the young man plenty of responsibility. The story is not yet titled.

Marian Nixon With Sono-Art

When Eddie Dowling starts work on his film musical version of "Honeymoon Lane," the musical comedy in which he starred on the stage, he will have as his leading lady no less charming a young actress than Marian Nixon.

MARIAN NIXON

Sono-Art is producing the picture, and George Crone is to direct.

Dowling is apparently due to be one of the greatest hits the talking screen has seen, the two pictures he has already made both being sure-fire, according to reports.

Fox Buys Story

Fox isn't overlooking any bets when it comes to securing well-known writers. That organization has signed Paul Hervey, well-known playwright and novelist.

Hervey's story, "Soldiers and Women," has just been purchased by Fox, and, while no definite announcement as to who will play in it has been made, it is rumored that the story will serve as another costarring vehicle for Victor McLaglen and Edmund Lowe.

Cornelius Keefe In It

That very excellent young actor of stage and screen, Cornelius Keefe, is going to start the new year out right.

Keefe has just been signed by First National for a featured role in "His Woman," featuring in the feminine roles Betty Compson and Lila Lee. William Beaudine is directing.

The actor formerly played with great success on the New York stage. He has lately been playing juvenile leads with Universal and other picture companies.

Lucien Littlefield With Fox

When a company wants a good character comedian, it apparently always thinks of Lucien Littlefield.

LUCIEN LITTLEFIELD

So we aren't surprised to learn that Littlefield has been hired by Fox to to play the featured comedy role in "High Society Blues," featuring Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell. Littlefield has finished a cofeatured role opposite Charlie Murray in "Clancy Caught Short," produced by Edward Small.

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'OH SUZANNA' SPECTACULAR

Pictorial and Musical Lure Marked in New Show

Early California Furnishes Setting for Romance

Principals and Chorus Score Hits at Mayan

BY EDWIN SCHALLERT

A beautiful and elaborate production—excellent substance for a musical show—enriching settings and atmosphere—an unusual male chorus—splendid musical numbers—capable and in many cases very efficient principals—

All these has "Oh Susanna," which was given its first presentation last night at the Mayan Theater. It is a a musical romance of the gold-rush days of California, but in its most superior moments, it achieves almost the qualities of an operetta.

Bernard McConville wrote the book, Alfred Hustwick the lyrics and Aubrey Stauffer the melodies. The order of the names might be altered for the Stauffer music is notable skillful. However, the idea of a western music show, and especially of a forty-niner theme is worthy of distinct commendation, for it has been a long time in seeing realization at least in this locality. In "Oh Susanna" a time and a place as the setting for the story has been selected that are rich in possibilities and opportunities.

This story, as it stands, needs revisions and improvements. It is deficient in humor especially, and its plot does not at all times disclose the requisite vitality. However, the choice of environment is exceptionally redeeming, and it is quite within the realm of belief that the lack of continued peppy interest may be remedied. Most musical shows, of course, can be remade after they are actually in the theater, and cutting will go far to increase to appeal of the present one, for it has the strong fundamental elements of interest.

The elements of interest grow out of scenic ideas, and locale ideas very largely. The backgrounds of "Oh Suzanna" shift kaleidoscopically from a hacienda at Monterey, to a mining camp in the Sierras, and from the mining camp to a packet boat on the Sacramento River, and from that again to the "El Dorado" dance hall in San Francisco. Surely romantic surroundings for the revivalization of the olden golden days, and all replete with embellishments to fit the occasion. For "Oh Suzanna" is vividly pictorially and it has exceptionally colorful dances and most attractive girls to perform them.

Really this attraction—and it is an attraction—is most effective in the character of its general ensemble, and shows in this respect the results of an effective concentration on staging.

Mr. Stauffer's music scored distinctly, especially such numbers as "Sacramento Packet," "Heartstrings," deftly sung by Carlotta King, "Bells of Monterey," "Love is Whispering," "The Heathen Chinee," "Singing Water," and "Gold." The last named lifted the rather slow first act up to a stunning finish, and was repeated twice after the curtain. "Heartstrings" has a somewhat rare delicacy, while "Sacramento Packet" is more in the modern jazz mood, and enabled Redmond Wells in a burlesque character to achieve a marked hit.

There are perhaps several songs too many where the elimination of a few like the bromidic "Hot Coffee" number will do no serious harm. Indeed, it is the casting out of certain commonplaces in this show throughout that will most materially add to its merit.

The plot reflects slightly "The Desert Song" bandit idea, and echoes also curiously enough "The Jewels of the Madonna" in the theft of an emerald rosary from the Mission Carmelo. The endeavors of the caballero, Don Jose, posing as a road agent, to recover the stolen sacred property constitutes the main thread of the story, which attains its most vital climax of drama at the end of the second act. There is a certain slenderness elsewhere to the development of suspense, but surrounding happenings are rather constantly colorful.

Pangborn Plans Added Show on New Year's Eve

"The Rear Car" will have two performances at the Vine-street Theater on New Year's Eve, Franklin Pangborn, producer, has announced.

Initial performances on Christmas Day and last night of the Edward Rose mystery-comedy thriller enjoyed such popular reception, according to Pangborn, that he is convinced he has hit upon the right production for the holidays.

Pangborn, himself, is essaying the leading role of the crime deflector, and conspicuous in his support are Betty Pierce, Gay Seabrook, Rex Lease, David Hartford, William Lawrence, Greta Granstedt, and others.

Chinese Plans Gala Program

To help ring out the old year and ring in the new, Grauman's Chinese Theater has completed plans for a gala celebration today.

There will be three presentations of Samuel Goldwyn's picture, "Condemned," starring Ronald Colman with Ann Harding and the complete program including Laurel and Hardy's latest comedy, "Night Owls," talking newsreels and Victor Herbert's overture, "Sweethearts."

At the midnight show there will be in addition to the complete program now showing at the Chinese a strong stage show with various moments of comedy, music and dancing contributed by outstanding players of the stage and screen.

"Lost Zeppelin" Will Take Off

Kathryn McGuire
Essays an important role in Tiffany's production, which will have its first showing tonight at a special midnight premiere at the Million Dollar Theater.

"CHAUVE SOURIS" COMING

The advance program of Balieff's "Chauve Souris," new edition of this revue, coming to the Mason Theater January 13, next, reveals many exotic and colorful numbers. Balieff's tour is under the direction of Morris Gest.

An outstanding feature is "Boubilitchki," an artist's cross-section of the streets of Moscow today, with members of the Tcheka rubbing shoulders, with doughnut sellers, orphans, flappers, soldiers, peasants, sailors and aristocrats. It is called a whirling panorama of a world upside down.

Contrasting this cartoon of Russia today is the reverent and thrilling number, "Midnight Review," in which Napoleon rises from his grave to inspect the marshals and the myriads of his grand armies. This season's grand opera travesty, "Les Amours de Jean Pierre," is said to be the best and most amusing Balieff has devised. There are other new numbers, including "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers."

Belasco Brings Avon Troupe in Nine Offerings

Owing to the interest manifested in the coming engagement of the Stratford-Upon-Avon Festival Company at the Belasco Theater beginning January 8, an arrangement has been made to open the box-office sale of seats on the 30th inst. The engagement will last for two weeks only.

The repertory includes nine plays of Shakespeare, five of which were not in the list last year, but all of which were presented at the Shakespeare Memorial Theater, Stratford-Upon-Avon, during the past summer. The personnel of the company is the same as last season, except for a few additions.

Nina McKinney Leads Lincoln Theater Revue

With the name of Nina Mae McKinney, colored actress, who scored what many critics were wont to call a tremendous hit in "Hallelujah," King Vidor's epic film, heading the cast sheet, "Harlem Scandals" made its appearance last night at the Lincoln Theater.

Whether Miss McKinney revealed any particular talents in the second act is problematical, as the first act lasted until almost midnight. The initial stanza brought several skits featuring Billy Andrews, Lasses Brown, Cleo Desmond, Andrew Bishop and others of the Lafayette Players. There was some dancing by a person billed as Grant, more by Mitchell and Redmond, and others.

Miss McKinney appeared twice in the first act, leading the chorus of colored girls through their routines. Following the intermission came a skit entitled "Guess What?" some black-outs and bits, and a dramatic sketch directed by Laura Bowman. Curtis Mosby's Blue Blowers furnished the music.

Theaters Plan Late Matinees

New Year's Eve will be celebrated in an appropriate manner tonight at both Warner Brothers' Downtown and Hollywood Theaters. A special midnight matinee will be held at both houses, with all seats reserved.

Balloons, confetti, serpentines and noise-making instruments will be in evidence at both matinees, and a gala holiday spirit will reign. At the Downtown Theater, the picture is "Paris," starring Irene Bordoni. At the Hollywood Theater, John Barrymore's picture, "General Crack," is the feature attraction.

Second Week of 'Shrew' Listed

"Taming of the Shrew," all-talking version of the Shakespeare farce, in which Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks make their debut as costars, begins its second week at the United Artists' Theater today.

Capacity audiences during the past several days indicate that the vehicle bids fair to become a cinema sensation, it is said. An entertaining bill surrounds the feature, including the Paramount-Christie all-talking comedy, "The Duke of Dublin," with Charlie Murray, Paramount Sound News, Frances Williams and the Four Yacht Club boys, and Oliver Wallace at the console.

LA ARGENTINA HAS PRAISE FOR STATE

Noted Spanish Dancer Visits Local Drama League; Appears Tonight

BY ISABEL MORSE JONES

"This California has won me!" Thus spoke La Argentina, the idol of dance-loving Spain, as she rode down to the Spanish night entertainment given for her last night by the Los Angeles Drama League. And despite the fact that she is to make her first appearance here tonight in a dance recital making terrific demands, she enjoyed the dancing and singing and playing of young Spanish and Mexican performers of Los Angeles, enthusiastically applauding and graciously encouraging them until a late hour.

She is named La Argentina for her native country, as she was born in that fascinating city, Buenos Aires. She danced from her earliest steps, as both her father and mother were dancers. Her father was a master of the dance in Madrid, and when she was 5 she made her debut in the most thrilling circumstances—but that is another story.

Today, she ranks so high as a classical Spanish dancer that the world is at her feet and it is known that she can give an entire concert, playing actual music upon the castanets alone. She is tall, slim, beautiful, dark, smiling, gracious, intellectual and has the simple bearing and kindliness that reminds one of her countryman, Pablo Casals.

For nine years she danced as prima ballerina at the Royal Opera of Madrid and then basing her departures upon the foundations of her mastery of ballet, she went on tour with hundreds of dances ancient and modern from the forty-nine provinces of Spain in her repertoire. She embodies the very life of Spain, for to a Spaniard dancing is the greatest expression of life.

On her program tonight she gives the fire dance from El Amor Brujo, which is considered her masterpiece, and the Seguidilla, a new dance which she has given for the first time during this tour, which she does entirely without music. She also will give the Bolero, a classic Italian - Spanish dance of the eighteenth century which she does with castanets and which has won her the title "Queen of the Castanets," and her brilliant Andalusian tango.

La Argentina will give two other recitals in Los Angeles on January 9 and 11.

"SOPHOMORE" GIVEN CAPABLE DIRECTION

Leo McCarey is seemingly surpassing his directorial achievement of this closing year. "The Sophomore," the current attraction at the Figueroa, which proved to be one of the biggest money makers on Pathe's list during 1929, revealed McCarey as one of the most capable directors in the industry.

Loaned to Paramount, he was entrusted with the direction of one of their specials on next year's program, "Let's Go Native." Scenes for this elaborate musical extravaganza thus far filmed are said to anticipate a completed production that will stand out with the best ten talking pictures.

Whispers in the Wings

BY MURIEL BABCOCK

MAE WEST is going to prolong her stay in Los Angeles an additional week. "Diamond Lil," her tintype of the New York Bowery in the rough and roaring nineties will continue at the Biltmore until January 11. From here, Miss West travels eastward, stopping not until she reaches Philadelphia where the show is booked to open on January 16.

The Biltmore will go picture, at least temporarily following "Diamond Lil," is the report. "Hunting Tigers in India," an animal film, starts a run there on January 13.

Special New Year Fare

There will be an abundance of midnight shows and special New Year's Day matinees for those of a theater mind on the holiday occasion. At Henry Duffy's three playhouses, El Capitan, President and Hollywood Playhouse, and at Franklin Pangborn's Vine-street, there will be two performances this evening and special matinees tomorrow afternoon. The Belasco, dark for some weeks, will open New Year's afternoon with Miss Mollie Cohn, Jewish actress, in "Dance to Death." The Mayan Theater, with its new operetta, "Oh Susanna," has scheduled a New Year's afternoon show.

The Biltmore and Majestic will have their regular evening shows as usual. Practically all of the continuous-run picture houses will be open and both the Carthay and Chinese theaters have booked special midnight performances.

Martin Flavin Coming

Martin Flavin, New York playwright and most recently author of "The Criminal Code," playing at the National Theater, arrives in town Saturday. There is talk of his doing this drama, a realistic piece dealing with present-day criminal jurisdiction, on the Pacific Coast with Emmett Corrigan in the role of the warden, the same which Arthur Byron is now playing in the East.

Passing Notes

"Bad Badies," which departed the Figueroa Playhouse on Saturday last, is going to San Francisco to the Capital Theater on January 12. . . . Fay Marbe, stage entertainer, may be presented at the Windsor Square Theater instead of at one of the downtown houses, it was said yesterday. . . . It seems that "The Cat and the Canary," which Henry Duffy and Dale Winter bring to the President on Sunday, was the first piece that Duffy did on the Coast, five years ago this holiday time. He presented it at the San Francisco Alcazar, until that time an almost sure haven of failure, and promptly did nine weeks' business. . . . Speaking of anniversaries, Edgar MacGregor of the production staff of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio, will celebrate his twenty-fifth year as a stage director next Saturday. He has a total of seventy-three New York productions to his credit.

Mr. Buchanan's Salary

A story from New York is that Jack Buchanan's services in "Wake Up and Dream," the Selwyn revue which was supposed to open last night and probably did, will bring him $4000 weekly. It is reported also that Tina Meller, seen in the same show and known as the sister of Raquel, draws close to half that amount. . . . Another item from New York which will interest those who saw June Walker here last summer in "The Bachelor Father" is that she will be seen next in "Waterloo Bridge," written by Robert E. Sherwood and opening at the Fulton next Monday. Glenn Hunter of "Merton of the Movies" plays opposite her.

New Short-Run Record

Departing from the Music Box Saturday night was "Maternally Yours," the sex predetermination play by the Indiana professor and lawyer, Clarence O'Dell Miller. It ran from Monday until Saturday and ranked as one of the year's shortest-run plays.

Mission Play Starts Tomorrow

California's historic Mission Play, by John Steven McGroarty, starts tomorrow with a special matinee. The drama was originally scheduled to be launched in the evening, but there were so many ticket requests that the opening was pushed up a performance. The play is, of course, in the San Gabriel Playhouse.

Mary Eaton Has Chief Role in Coming Picture

"Glorifying the American Girl," Florenz Ziegfeld's personally supervised musical extravaganza, starts at the Paramount Theater Thursday, following the run of "Sweetie." The Paramount is staging a New Year's Eve midnight show tonight with "Sweetie" as the main attraction.

"Glorifying the American Girl" is a play with or a play. Mary Eaton, Ziegfeld star, is in the leading feminine role and is supported by a large cast of Broadway luminaries. In the special scenes Helen Morgan, noted star of the original "Show Boat," introduces a new song number. Rudy Vallee and his Connecticut Yankees play their popular song success, "Vagabond Lover."

FROM SHAKESPEARE TO JAZZ!
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A CHUCKLE FOR EVERYBODY

THE SON OF TARZAN

By Edgar Rice Burroughs

That which filled the lad with excitement was the fresh spoor of men—of white men, for among the prints of naked feet were the outlines of shoes. The trail marked the passage of a good-sized company headed north, probably toward some coast settlement, the boy thought. He was all eagerness to be off in pursuit. The old ape objected. He wanted nothing of men. To him the lad was a fellow ape, for he was the son of the king of apes.

He tried to dissuade the boy, but without success. A few hours later they came upon the rear guard of the white men's caravan he was so anxious to overtake. Stumbling along the tangled trail of those ahead, a dozen heavily laden blacks were being prodded mercilessly forward. On each side of them walked two giants, blond white men, both using heavy whips on the naked backs of the poor natives. The boy's cry of greeting died on his lips.

Even the great ape growled beneath his breath at the useless torture being inflicted. "So these are the creatures you would go with?" he muttered to the lad. "They ARE fiends," replied the boy, "but I will ask them where is the nearest port, and then, Akut, we can leave them." So saying he swung to the ground, starting at a brisk walk toward the "safari." He was a hundred yards away, perhaps, when one of the whites caught sight of him.

The man gave a shout of alarm, instantly levelling his rifle upon the boy and firing. The bullet struck just in front of its mark, scattering turf and leaves against the boy's legs. A second later the others were firing hysterically at him. Jack leaped into a tree, unhurt, the ape climbing excitedly after him. As the two disappeared, so quickly and in such manner, the white men and natives huddled together to determine just what to do.

(Continued Tomorrow)

GASOLINE ALLEY

Season's Greetings

By [illegible]

AW COME ON, WALT, A NEW YEARS BLOWOUT WOULD BE DEAD WITHOUT YOU. WE'LL MAKE IT DUTCH.
THERE'S ONLY ONE PER YEAR, YOU KNOW.
I WOULD FELLOWS BUT I PROMISED THE LITTLE WIFE WE'D HAVE A QUIET TIME AT HOME.
WE'LL WATCH THE OLD YEAR OUT RIGHT HERE, PHYLLIS. THIS IS BETTER THAN MAKING WHOOPEE AT A CABERET.
I'M HAPPY
12 A.M.
WHAT'S THAT AWFUL NOISE, WALT?
?
WE WON'T GO HOME UNTIL MORNIN' AT HAPPY NEW YEAR!
SWEET ADELINE

THE GUMPS

Target Practice

By Sidney [illegible]

YES- THERE IS A DIFFERENCE- SHE HAS CHANGED- AND WHAT AN IMPROVEMENT- SHE DOESN'T BELIEVE IN KEEPING UP WITH THE TIMES- SHE STAYS AHEAD OF THEM- YOU CAN DESCRIBE HER PERFECTLY- WITH FIVE LITTLE LETTERS OF THE ALPHABET- C-L-A-S-S-
SOME HOW IT SEEMS THAT WAY AHEAD IN THE DISTANCE- I SEE A RAY OF HOPE AND SUNSHINE- A RIFT IN THE CLOUDS- AND THAT YOUR FACE IS THAT LIGHT THAT BRIGHTENS UP THE SKY- CHASES AWAY THE CLOUDS- AND FILLS MY WORLD- WITH THE SUNSHINE OF YOUR SMILE
I'LL GET MY BOW AND ARROW AND DO MY BEST- I MAY NOT BE SUCH A GOOD MARKSMAN- BUT THE SURE WAY TO PIERCE A WOMAN'S HEART- IS TO TAKE AIM WHILE KNEELING

HAROLD TEEN

More Trouble

By Carl [illegible]

WHILE DRESSING FOR THAT IMPORTANT NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY HAROLD NEATLY RIPPED TH' PANTS OF HIS ONLY TUX CRAWLING AFTER AN ELUSIVE COLLAR BUTTON UNDER THE BED!
MA! OH! MA!
I'LL BE LATE AN POISON I'LL COD ALL THE DANCES- YE GODS!
WILL YOU STOP RUNNIN' AROUND AND TAKE THEM OFF?
LISTEN, LAMBS! I'LL BE A FEW MINUTES LATE- YEH!- I HAD A SORT'A-UM-WELL A KIND OF ACCIDENT- THAT IS--
I'M GLAD YOU LIKE YOUR NEW TUX, SHEIKIE--
-BET YOU WON'T I CAN SEE HIS RANDOM

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER

Home, Sweet Home

By [illegible]

THE BEST THING YOU CAN DO FOR THE NEW YEAR, PA WINKLE, IS MAKE A RESOLUTION TO DO A LITTLE WORK AROUND THIS HOUSE!
NOT SUCH A BAD IDEA!
YEAH? WELL, I'LL MAKE THAT RESOLUTION IF MAW'LL MAKE ONE TO QUIT NAGGIN' ME!
WELL, THAT WILL BE STARTING THE NEW YEAR RIGHT!!
IT'S TWELVE O'CLOCK! 1930 IS HERE! I'LL RUN DOWN-STAIRS AND WISH THE FOLKS A HAPPY NEW YEAR!!
BONG BONG ETC
DON'T BE SILLY, MAW. WHY SHOULD I HELP SET TH' TABLE? THAT AIN'T A MAN'S JOB!!
YOU UNGRATEFUL GOOD-FOR-NOTHIN' NO-GOOD LAZY BUM! I MIGHT HAVE KNOWN YOU WOULDN'T KEEP YOUR RESOLUTION!

The Life of Riley

By D. T. Carlisle

REG'LAR FELLERS

And Wrap It Up

By Gene Byrnes

IF YOU COULD HAVE ANY TWO THINGS YOU WANTED FOR NEXT C'RISMIS WHAT WOULD YOU TAKE?
LEMME SEE NOW..... THAT'S A HARD ONE... ONEY TWO PRESENTS!
A BICYCLE! THAT WOULD BE ONE!
AN FOR THE OTHER ONE I'D TAKE THE GOLD EAGLE DEPARTMENT STORE'S CORNER WINDER FULLA TOYS!
GENE BYRNES

ELLA CINDERS

"Heavy" Thinking

By Bill Conselman and Charlie [illegible]

I COULD CELEBRATE NEW YEAR'S EVE A LOT BETTER IF I COULD ONLY COMPLETE THE CAST FOR THE PICTURE I'M GOING TO DIRECT!
HAPPY NEW YEAR!
HURRAY!
HONK!
HONK!
BANG!
HONK!
WHOOPEE!
HAPPY NEW YEAR
CYRIL SWEET IS SET TO PLAY THE HERO, AND DISCOVERED JOAN STAMP FOR THE LEADING LADY! BUT I NEED A GOOD VILLAIN AND I NEED HIM BAD!
WHOOPEE! HAPPY NEW YEAR!
HAPPY NEW YEAR, ELLA! WHAT CAN YOUR DAD DO TO MAKE IT HAPPIER?
FIND THE VILLAIN!

PETEY—

Oh, That's Different

By C. A. [illegible]

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WANTED—SITUATIONS—Female

Nurses —16-C

PRAC. nurse wants work, thoroughly familiar with dirt & routine for children & invalids. Dr.'s ref Phone TR. 0229.

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YOUNG woman desires home, will assist with housework & care of

TO LET—HOUSES
Unfurnished

West and Northwest —35-A

5-RM. single bung., gar., open porch, very mod.; a real home. Cor. 2626 Lucretia.

5-RM. duplex, brick, fir. side; 2 bdrms., Modern clean, sun. Ideal location. 1263 N. Mariposa. OX. 61[illegible]

5-RM. sunny lower duplex. Tile bath, gas heat. Cor. 1[illegible] Vermont.

5-RM. attractive modern home. Gar. 1[illegible] Ave. 23.

5-RM. lower duplex; hdwd. floors, tile bath, gas heat, closets, dbl. gar. 5[illegible] Plymouth Blvd.

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5-RM. bungalow, 2 beds, garage, $50. Key at 1[illegible] Mariposa.

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5-ROOM bungalow, garage, $50. Key at 1[illegible] Mariposa.

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5-RM. duplex, 2 beds

CITY LOTS AND LANDS—
For Sale —33

FT. CORNER. $3000, can mor... houses.$6. It's a real bar. Comr &... st. 2466 W. VERNON. VE. 6253.

BUSINESS PROPERTY—
For Sale —32

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FILIPINOS HONOR RIZAL MEMORY

Island Martyr Paid Tribute at Gathering Here

Speakers Laud Devotion to People's Salvation

Affair Marks Anniversary of His Execution

Pleading with his executioners that he might be permitted "to die like a man and face the firing squad squarely," Dr. Jose Rizal, Philippine patriot and national hero, charged with treason, was executed by the Spaniards thirty-three years ago, on December 30, 1896. Yesterday members of the local Filipino colony paid honor to his memory with a program in Music Arts Hall, 233 South Broadway, which was in progress from 1 to 7 p.m.

Before an audience of about 500 young Filipino men, with here and there a scattered few of the fair sex, prominent speakers reviewed the life of Rizal, eulogized his devotion to his principles to the very end, and praised his accomplishments toward the uplift and salvation of his people.

Other speakers talked on the history of the Philippine Islands, the Spanish-American War, Philippine independence and the Filipino problems in California. The program included vocal and instrumental music at frequent intervals, and a tableau depicting the old and the new Philippines.

Among the speakers were Bishop Charles D. Mitchell, who lived among the Filipinos for more than four years; Dr. E. C. Brinkmeyer, president of the Philippine Chamber of Commerce of California; Judge Kirland Perky, ex-Senator from Idaho; Superior Judge Yankwich, Mayor Porter, Mrs. Felix Abeede, Jr.; B. Cortez, N. B. Mariano and Lorren Andrews, ex-attorney-general, Territory of Hawaii.

Alex L. Nocon presided as master of ceremonies and the members of the reception committee were Pablo Maniapit, Thomas Mercado, R. Penaranda, Amado Dino, Agustin Sierio, Primo E. Quevedo, Narciso B. Mariano, Josefino Ligayo, Mrs. Poling Leag and Laura M. Portilla. The program was given under the auspices of Ang Bantay, the only Filipino weekly in the United States.

EX-OFFICER MISSING ON TRIAL DATE

Jack Ormsby's Bail Bond Forfeited and Warrant Issued on Liquor Charge

Upon the failure of Jack Ormsby, former Federal prohibition officer, to appear in court for arraignment and plea on a charge of conspiracy to violate the National Prohibition Act, United States District Judge Henning yesterday ordered the defendant's bail forfeited. Ormsby had been at liberty on bail of $2500. When ordering the forfeiture the court fixed bail at $10,000 and ordered a bench warrant issued for the defendant.

Ormsby and ten others in an indictment were accused of conspiracy to violate the Prohibition Act by operating several stills on a ranch at Llano, near Palmdale, under pretense of running a turkey ranch. The ten have not been arrested.

Ormsby and Harry Chenoweth were held on April 25, last, by Kern county officers for questioning regarding the fatal shooting of Charles Chulla on the Cohen ranch, near Lancaster. Ormsby was released when it was shown that Chulla was killed from a bullet from the other man's revolver. Both Chenoweth and Ormsby asserted they shot in self-defense while trying to get information as to liquor violations.

New Magazine to Sing Glories of Southwest

California and Arizona are to be featured in the Southwest, a new magazine which, it was announced yesterday by James B. Duffy, assistant passenger manager of the Santa Fe Railway, will make its bow in January. The magazine will be published by Fred Harvey, in charge of the Santa Fe's dining service, with T. F. Chantron as editor.

The initial issue of 100,000 will be distributed on all Santa Fe parlor and club cars, on T.A.T. planes, and in all leading hotels and clubs of the country. It will also be sold on newsstands. Duffy announced that the Southwest will be profusely illustrated, and will feature the recreational advantages and scenic lure of California and Arizona, particularly the Grand Canyon and the Indian country. Duffy predicts that it will stimulate tourist travel to this State and Arizona.

Catalina Island Enjoys Busiest Year in History

Catalina Island enjoyed the busiest year in its history during 1929, according to J. N. Stewart, vice-president and traffic manager of the Santa Catalina Island Company.

"The increase in passengers to the island was 66,000, or better than 20 per cent over 1928, which was the largest year up to that time," Mr. Stewart pointed out yesterday.

"With a total of 300,000 paid passengers each way, for a grand total of 780,000 passengers carried on the steamers between Los Angeles Harbor and the island, the business has grown to where amplified steamer schedules are necessary to take care of the traffic. It is confidently expected that another large steamship will be added to the fleet by 1931.

"The winter volume of travel has increased phenomenally. The combined months of November and December show an increase of 90 per cent over the same period of last year."

J. W. Robinson Co.

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Last-Day-of-the-Month Sale Today, Tuesday

No Telephone Orders Will Be Taken on These Items

No Remnants Will Be on Sale the Last Day of the Month

TO ROBINSONS — TUESDAY — EVERYBODY IN SO. CAL

Notice to Charge Customers—Purchases made on the last day of the month will appear on January accounts payable in February.

Wash Goods

54-inch French Flannels—entire stock at $2.10 a yard.
27-inch Wool Challis. Entire stock of Botany Challis at 95c a yard.
39-inch Who-Ray Satin, an all-rayon fabric. Entire Stock at $1.15 a yard.
36-inch Imported Irish and Belgian Dress Linen. Wide selection of shades at 55c a yard.
36-inch Beacon Robing, in figured effects. The entire stock priced at 75c a yard.
100 dozen Women's Unfinished French Handkerchief Squares in broken assortment, at 25c each.
750 yards of 32-inch Imported David and John Anderson Shirtings at 75c a yard.
350 yards of 32-inch Imported tub Flannels, in striped effects. Priced $1.95 a yard.

SECOND FLOOR

Silks

39-inch Printed Chiffon and Printed Flat Crepe at $1.85 a yard.
32-inch Washable Striped Broadcloth at $1.65 a yard.
39-inch Printed Crepe Chiffon at $1.95 a yard.
39-inch Mallinson Printed Flat Chiffon at $2.45 a yard.
36-inch Mallinson Vagabond Crepe at $2.45 a yard.
39-inch Pure Dye Pure Silk Washable Crepe at $1.95 a yard.
39-inch Satin Crepe at $1.95.

SECOND FLOOR

Woolens

200 yards of Rouclaire Coating in black, 54 inches wide, at $4.85 a yard.
250 yards of Covert Cloth, 54 inches wide, in a variety of colors, at $2.95 a yard.
300 yards of Tweeds, 54 inches wide, in the newest colors for coats, dresses and ensembles, at $3.85 a yard.
54-inch Camel's Hair Coating in natural color and of medium weight, at $6.85.

SECOND FLOOR

Laces

200 yards of Metal Lace in bright silver and gold. Some are on sheer net grounds and others are more covered with metal. Regularly priced from $3.75 to $22.50 a yard, at Half Price.
500 yards of German Alencon Lace. In widths from ¾ to 5 inches wide and shown in the Paris shades. Priced at 50c a yard.
Yokes to finish the necks of dresses, nightgowns or slips are of the German Alencon type and may be selected in cream or Paris shades. At $1.00.
French Alencon Lace, hand loomed in foliated designs and outlined with a thread run effect. In widths from 2 to 5 inches, in bands, edges and galloons. Priced at $1.95 a yard.
Chantilly and Spanish Type Lace Flouncing, in shades of black, white, coral, beige, orchid, tan, French blue, egg yellow, green, pink and light brown. At $3.00 a yard.

SECOND FLOOR

Notions

Hair Nets, cap and fringe in single and double mesh. May be selected in all natural shades at 50c a dozen and grey and white at $1.25 a dozen.
Dress Shields, nainsook covered. Priced at 25c a pair or $2.75 a dozen. Silk covered at 50c a pair or $5.50 a dozen.
Closgard Dust-Proof Garment Bags, with zipper fastener, priced at $2.95.
Utility Boxes covered with fancy paper that consist of one large and four small. Priced at 50c a set.
Trinket Cabinets, covered with imported sateen. Priced $1.50.

FIRST FLOOR

Art Needlework

200 Stamped Pieces, consisting of lunch sets, scarfs, pillows and children's articles, formerly priced from 75c to $3.50, at Half Price.
15 Living Room Pillows, formerly priced from $4.25 to $10.00, at Half Price.
50 Hand-Embroidered Models, consisting of lunch sets, towels, scarfs and children's articles, 50c to $6.00.

SEVENTH FLOOR

Coats

40 Rain Coats, including alligator rain coats, in sizes from 14 to 44. Originally priced from $15.00 to $25.00, now Half Price.
50 Fur-Trimmed Dress Coats, in black, blue, brown and tan. The furs used are Wolf, Baby Lynx, Dyed Fox and others. In sizes 14 to 40. Priced at $58.00.

THIRD FLOOR

Silk Frocks

Dresses for street, business and afternoon wear, plain colors, prints, high shades, navy blue and black. With lingerie detail, circular flares in the skirts, which have regular hemlines for street wear and the longer skirts with drapes for afternoon. In sizes 14 to 44. Priced at $25.00.

THIRD FLOOR

Women's Hose

4000 pairs of Women's Vamp Toe Hosiery, in both service and chiffon weights, all silk with reinforced toe. Specially priced at $1.55.
1500 pairs of "Robinson Special" utility chiffon all-silk hosiery, $1.85.
1300 pairs of "Style No. 100" fine ingrain hose, 51 gauge weave. All silk, new shades, including gunmetal with black heels. $2.35.

FIRST FLOOR

Women's Shoes

153 pairs of Women's Shoes, including some from Garside. Black satin pumps and one-straps, patent leather pumps patent leather one-straps and others. A good selection of sizes but not in any one style reduced to $9.85.
176 pairs of Women's Shoes, including black kid, patent leather one-straps, patent leather ties, brown kid one-straps and tie oxfords with cuban heels. Reduced to $6.85.

THIRD FLOOR

Sweaters—Blouses

100 Sweaters in a broken assortment which includes slipovers and cardigans, regularly $8.75 to $19.50, are Half Price.
25 Blouses of metal cloth and velvet, regularly $19.50 to $39.50, are priced at Half.
25 silk skirts in pleated style, regularly $10.00, are Half Price.

THIRD FLOOR—SPORTSWEAR

Robes and Negligees

97 Robes, which include Flannel Blanket, Padded and Eiderdown Robes, and Silk Negligee Coats, regularly $7.75 to $50 are repriced at Half.

FOURTH FLOOR

Corsets

91 Corsets and Girdles in discontinued models and broken sizes. Formerly priced from $5.00 to $25.00, at Half Price.
54 Brassieres in discontinued models and broken sizes, formerly priced from 50c to $5.00, at Half Price.
1 Savage Health Motor demonstrating machine, equipped with pedestal and pedestal board, at $75.00.

FOURTH FLOOR

Luggage

9 Ladies' Suiteases, regularly priced from $25.00 to $62.50, at Half Price.
3 Imported Men's Cases. Formerly priced at $50.00, $55.00 and $60.00, now Half Price.
3 Ladies' Kit Bags, priced $22.50, $27.50 and $30.00, now Half Price.
7 Ladies' Migrator Hat Cases, priced at $30, $35 and $40, now Half Price.
50 Migrator Hat Cases priced at $8.45.
12 Pullman Wardrobe Cases priced at $15.75.

FIRST FLOOR

Children's Sox

42 pairs of Misses' Hose and One-Half Length Sox, regularly 35c to $2.00 at Half Price.
237 pairs of Children's One-Half, Three-Quarter and Ankle-Length Sox. Less than half price at 20c a pair.
60 dozen pairs of Ankle-Length Sox specially priced at 3 pairs for $1.00.

FOURTH FLOOR

Ribbons

50 Necktie Ribbons in the proper length are priced at 45c each.
200 bolts of Christmas Tying Ribbon, formerly priced at 45c to $1.85 a bolt, at Half Price.
500 yards of Gold and Silver Tinsel Ribbon up to 5 inches in width, priced from 5c to 25c a yard.
45 yards of Bag Ribbon, 7½ inches wide, priced at $1.50 a yard.
80 Silver and Gold Colored Bag Tops at 95c.
35 Velvet and Fancy Ribbon Covered Coat Hangers at 50c each.

FIRST FLOOR

Boys' Wear

25 All-Wool 4-Piece Suits. Some have 2 pairs of longs, 1 long and 1 plus-4, 2 pairs of plus-4s or 1 pair of longs. In sizes 7 to 18 years, formerly priced from $15 to $22.50, at Half Price.
109 Flannelette Sleepers of good quality, nicely trimmed with frogs and pocket. In sizes 4 to 8 and 12 and 14. Priced at $1.00.

FOURTH FLOOR

Girls' Wear

89 Sweaters in coat and slip-on styles. Shown in assorted colors and sizes from 28 to 36. Regularly priced from $5.00 to $12.50. Now Half Price.
23 Knitted Suits in assorted colors. In broken sizes from 8 to 17. Regularly priced from $15.00 to $25.00, now Half Price.
35 Negligees, lounging robes and bath robes, in broken sizes 10 to 16. Formerly priced from $2.95 to $35.00, now Half Price.
20 Raincoats, in broken sizes from 8 to 16. Formerly priced from $5.50 to $10.50, now Half Price.
87 Dresses, including wash dresses, silk dresses and party dresses, in broken sizes from 8 to 17. Priced from $3.95 to $65.00, now Half Price.

FOURTH FLOOR

Children's Wear

30 Wool Slip-on Caps, regularly $1.25 to $2.25, at Half Price.
100 Miscellaneous Pieces of infants wear, which include Silk Quilts, Cotton Spreads, Sacques, Wrappers, Bonnets and Hats, regularly $2.50 to $12.50, at Half Price.
60 One-Piece Flannelette Pajamas in sizes 2, 4 and 12 only, regularly $1.50 at Half Price.
60 Muslin Pantie Waists in sizes 14 and 16 only, regularly 50c to $1.50, at Half Price.
150 Pieces of Children's Underwear in broken sizes 3 to 12, which include Vests, Bloomers, Slips, Pajamas, regularly 50c to $7.50, at Half Price.
50 pairs of Suede Bedroom Slippers in sizes 6 months and 1 year only, regularly $1.25, at Half Price.
All-Wool, Fur-Trimmed Coats in broken sizes 2 to 6, regularly $14.50 to $50.00, at Half Price.
Hats in broken sizes 2 to 6, regularly $3.50 to $10.00, at Half Price.

FOURTH FLOOR

Flowers

300 Assorted Flowers in the following selection: tulle flowers in pastel shades, velvet chrysanthemums, large chiffon flowers with drops, large velvet roses and many types of smaller flowers. Regularly priced from 50c to $12.50, at Half Price.

FIRST FLOOR

No Charge for Alterations

Silk Lingerie

174 pieces of French and Domestic Silk Lingerie, which includes slips, gowns, chemise, sets and step-ins. Regularly priced from $4.95 to $37.50, now at Half Price.

FOURTH FLOOR

Leather Goods

150 Leather Bags formerly priced from $5.00 to $15.00, at Half Price.
150 Miscellaneous Pieces of Small Leather Goods. Regularly priced from $1.00 to $15.00, now at Half Price.
200 Leather bags of smooth calf skin, in assorted colors. Priced at $2.85.
200 Leather bags, in black, navy, brown, tan and green. They are moire lined and fitted with coin purse and mirror. Priced at $4.75.

FIRST FLOOR

Umbrellas

All Silk umbrellas as shown in plain and fancy coverings. These are shown with 12 and 16 ribs, regularly priced from $16.50 to $35.00, at Half Price.

FIRST FLOOR

Chinaware

500 Odds and Ends, regularly priced from 20c to $5.00, now Half Price.
300 Pieces of Imported Pottery, which includes varco bowls, urns and trays. Regularly priced from 40c to $10.00, at Half Price.
100 Sets of Mixing Bowls, in sets of 6. Regularly priced at $3.50 a set, at Half Price.
6 Sets of Haviland China, in service for 12. Two are priced at $100.00, 2 at $97.00 and 2 at $77.00.

SIXTH FLOOR

Draperies

150 yards of Damask, formerly priced from $2.50 to $8.75, at Half Price.
150 pairs of Ruffled Curtains, for kitchen and bath. They measure 1½ yards long, at $1.15 a pair.
300 pairs of White Dotted Marquisette Ruffled Curtains, measuring 2¼ yards long, at $1.50 a pair.

SIXTH FLOOR

Neckwear

10 Large Shawls of fine wool cashmere, with hand-tied rayon fringe. Regularly priced from $14.50 to $16.50, at Half Price.
A large assortment of Neckwear which includes lace, organdie and linen sets. Round, boater, tuxedo and V necks, with cuffs to match. Metal Blousettes in antique color combinations are also reduced. Prices regularly from 50c to $14.50, at Half Price.
Wool Scarfs of mohair, plain and fancy mesh. Priced from $2.95 to $6.50.
35 Silk Scarfs in both long and square shapes. Hand-blocked and hand-painted patterns and floral designs. Priced formerly from $4.50 to $25.00, now Half Price.

FIRST FLOOR

Handkerchiefs

Women's Boxed Linen Handkerchiefs, 3 in a box, regularly $1.00 and $2.00 a box, are Half Price.
Women's and Children's Initial Handkerchiefs in broken line, regularly 25c to 50c, at Half Price.
100 dozen Women's Imported Sheer Cross-Bar Linen Handkerchiefs with hand-rolled hems, priced at $2.00 a Dozen.

FIRST FLOOR

Stationery

175 Plain and Fancy Bridge Score Pads, regularly priced from 5c to 90c, at Half Price.
650 Boxes of Crane's and Hurd's Stationery, slightly soiled or in broken boxes. Regularly priced from $1.00 to $3.50, at Half Price.
175 Bridge Size Playing Cards at 25c a deck.
125 Pounds of Polo Club Pound Paper, regularly priced at 75c, at Half Price.
25 Odd Quill Pens, regularly priced from $1.25 to $3.50, at Half Price.

FIRST FLOOR

Men's Store

153 Men's Gloves, regularly priced from $1.50 to $6.50, now Half Price.
125 Men's Shirts, regularly priced from $2.50 to $7.50, now Half Price.
31 Pairs of pajamas regularly priced from $3.00 to $12.50, now Half Price.
119 Men's Soft Collars, regularly priced 50c, now Half Price.
47 Pieces of Men's Underwear, regularly $1.00 to $7.00, now Half Price.

FIRST FLOOR

Toilet Goods

360 Bath Salts in 5-pound containers, made for J. W. Robinson Co. In odors of Jasmine, Rose, Lavender, Cologne, Black Tulip and Narcissus. Regularly priced $1.50, now Half Price.
120 Sanitary Belts, silk rubber elastic, at 35c.
135 Imported Yarrita Soap, made in Spain, 20c, or 2 for 35c.
195 Imported Dutch Girl Buttermilk Toilet Soap, 3 cakes to a box, at 25c a box.
165 Bottles of Witch Hazel, in 12-ounce bottles, at 65c.
360 Cleansing Cream, made for J. W. Robinson Co.—in 1-pound jars, at $1.00.
816 Wash Cloths in assorted colors. Priced at 20c each or $2.00 a dozen.
1080 Wash Cloths, in assorted colors, at 25c each.
15 Toilet Sets—4 pieces. These are of decorated glass. In assorted colors, at $4.75.

FIRST FLOOR

Rugs

6 Rugs 2x4, regularly priced at $3.75, now Half Price.
16 Rugs 27x54, regularly priced at $7.50, now Half Price.
A selection of Numdah Rugs are offered in the following sizes:
50 2x3 Rugs, in white, yellow, peach and black, at $3.75.
50 4x6 Rugs, in colors white, blue, black, tan, orange and mulberry, at $9.75.
10 6x8 Rugs with white backgrounds, at $19.75.
Reversible Chenille Rugs for bedroom and bathroom use. Shown in tan, orchid, blue, rose and green:
30 Samples of Plain Carpet, in size 18x36, priced at $1.00 each.

SIXTH FLOOR

Housefurnishings

150 Miscellaneous Pieces of Bathroom Fixtures, regularly from 35c to $2.00, at Half Price.
144 Squeeze Ezy Junior Mops at 65c each.
30 Majestic Electric Heaters at $6.45 each.
10 Cary Health Cookers at $7.45 each.
120 Ironing Board Pads and Covers at 95c for pad and cover.
65 Metal Vegetable Bins in green, yellow and blue, at $1.75 each.
150 Children's ½-Pint Thermos Lunch Kits at $1.75 each.
100 7-Piece Tin Ring Mould Sets at 75c a set.
360 Copper Tinsel Pot Cleaners with wood handles, at 25c each.

SIXTH FLOOR

Bedding

35 Pieces of Bedding, formerly priced from $1.95 to $35.00, now half price.

SECOND FLOOR